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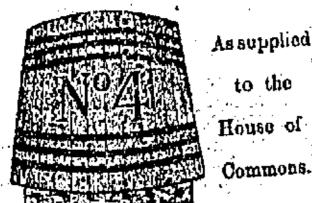
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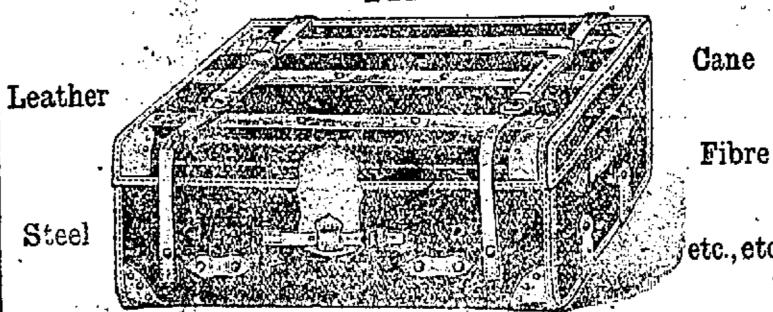
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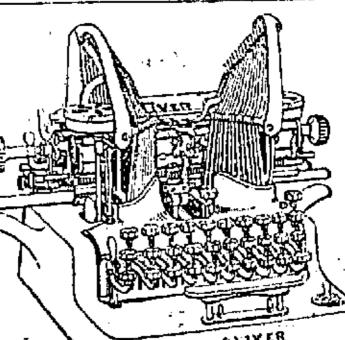
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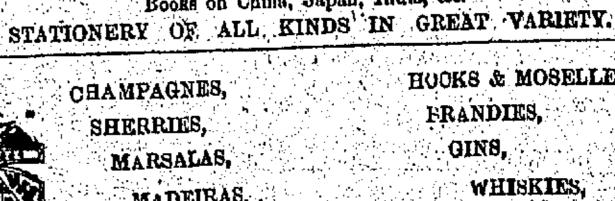
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tered Office of the Company, for the pur-

pose of receiving a Statement of Accounts

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26th March, both days inclusive. J. WHEELEY General Manager. 383 ending 31st December, 1907. Hongkong, March 9, 1908.

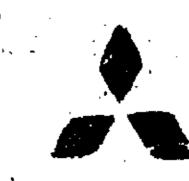
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A Wreck From the China Sea

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Into this quarter fate and a kindly member of the Calcutta Police force introduced me, and fate led mo farther than my friend in the blue uniform and silver badges mysteries of smelly Chinese boot shops, and even of Chinese-made boot soles, are open to the quest of all. The foetid sewers on the edges of which women with dead faces and burnt-out eyes lead, with other equally Future. debased objects, lives of sordid and monotonous adventure; the fantan shops, where Chinese grow excited over curious games of chance; the joss house, with its fragrant sticks of incense; the gates of the black smoke, these can be seen, when they have been made fit for inspection, by any winter-tripper who has the desire. They have all been described more than once or twice from nearly every point of view.

Fate, however, took me by the hand where my friend of the Police force had left me, and I came to know Wun Lung, who had made a comfortable fortune by emuggling opium, and also a nameless white man who had puffed a fortune, and the whole world, away from the end of an absurd and inartistic bamboo pips.

Wun Lung I had known before a little in another place. Our acquaintance had passed through the stage of nods and smiles and causual greetings and had acquired as much intimacy and warmth as is possible in such cases. Then on an occasion the white derelict, he was subdued grey and yellow, as much of him as I could see through the dirt, had drifted into the circle of our acquaintanceship. He lay on his back, his mouth, garnished with broken teeth, wide open to the investigations of a blue-bottle fly curious and tactless as a winter M.P. His filthy hands, delicately formed they were, scrabbled on the dubious matting. One leg was coiled under the other, and his clothing was tattered and stained to a degree.

Wun Lung, through the sooted dusk, saw the question in my eyes.

'Im blong um Frenchy was ship pidgin one day. Maski lace maski dollar, call him count to Hauoi seben year when first come my long. Voly good man him, my flen. I was somewhat interested in my find nearly as much as in Wun Lung. Since there was none to account to, or for, anything out of office hours, I continued and perfected my friendship. The man's name and past I never came to know, or to ask for anything that he did not tell me. In his few brief hours of soberness and sanity he used to talk in scraps, but well, and his way of behaving, despite the hopeless dirt of him, made me suspect there was some truth in Wun Lung's introductory remark. Ah, he said, one day, as he lay, looking like a dirty rag, upon a long chair in my verandah, We Westerns are fools for ever going into China. There in nothing but devildom in it, and nothing but evil to be got out of it. The l'owers ought to induce, or force, China to increase the height of

the Great Wall ten times and continue it all round the country. On unother occasion I spoke of the advance of China, of the crusade against opium, and of the modernising of its ad-

ministration. He laughed meekly and wheezily, as he drank, trembling, from a glass of milk. China and the opium have damned me and I may be prejudiced, but I fancy China will never change. You talk of the modernisation of their administration. Well I shall tell you a thing. Once when-nowell. Shortly after I had got to know something of the land and the people, their ways and tongue, I was on duty in the capital of a certain advanced Viceroy. TOWER HOUSE; Ten Rooms; Ken-I saw his prisons. They were reproductions, improved, of the Hell of the middie ages. Nothing more ghastly or leathsome can be imagined. Filthy beyond belief or description, swarming with horrible insects, were the black airless holes into which the prisoners were thrust, MODOWN No. 3, NEW PRAYA

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Banks.		UEU. I . LAIVIIVIER I	state and the punishments he awarded this mild-spoken, smiling, advanced gentleman,
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.	NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL-	AUCTIONEER.	and they were all worthy of the mind of
AID-UF CAPITAL \$15,000,000		DUDING AUCTIONS	Satan. It was these sights, combined with the fever, that first set me on the steep,
Storling £1,500,000@2/-=\$15,000,000	Езтавивню 1824.	THE Undersigned has received instruc-	unretraceable road to Hell that I now walk.
_	PAID-UPFl. 45,000,000 (£3,750,000).	tions to Sell by Public Auction, on	He gave award as his fancy willed, and his heart was without feeling. Yet men
PROPRIETORS	RESERVE FUND F1. 5,878,375 (£ 448,000).	WEDNESDAY, the 25th March, 1908, commencing at	say it was the kindest heart in China that bent in the breast of this advanced magis
COURT OF DIRECTORS : ION. My HENRY KESWICK-Chairman.	TEAD AGENOY-BATAVIA.	2.30 P.M., at No. 12, ROBINSON ROAD,	trate. Certainly his feelings were no more
. BLIGGISIO TOOL The property and	BRANCHES: Singapore, Penang Shanghai, Rangoon, Emarang, Sourabaya, Cheribon, Tegal, Pacalongan, Pasoercean,	VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD	blunt than those of his fellow-countrymen. I have seen men carrying the crate. They
Fuchs, Eq. R. Shewan, Esq.	Tjilatjap, Padang, Masn (Dell), Palem bang Kota-Radia (Asten) Bandjermasin,	INCLUDING:	stood on bricks in crates such as sheep are carried in. Their hands were tied behind
H. Medhurst, Esq. H. E. Tomkins, Esq.	Correspondents at Macassar, Bombay. Colombo, Madras, Podicherry, Calcutta, Bangkok, Saigon, Halphong, Hanol, Amoy,	Sana	their backs. None might give them food or drink. They smelt like corpses. The flic
Hongkong J. R. M. SMITH.	Yokohama, Kobe, Milbourne, Sydney.	1908.	that buzzed in clouds round their heads had eaten their faces away. Their suffering
Manager:	London Bankers:—The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.	on on	must have been horrible. The sky wa
ONDOR BARRERS-LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO., LD.	The Bang buys and sells and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, issues latters of credit on its Branches and correspond	THURSDAY, the 26th March, 1908, commencing at	blue above them, with beautiful roun- clouds sailing in it. The earth green an
Hongroka—Interest Allowed.	ents in the East, on the Continent in Great Britain, America, and Australia, and tran-	y 30 p.M., at Window Lobber,	beautiful round them. The people crowde out to see the sights, and laughed as ou
On Carrent Account at the rate of Two er cent. persuuum on the dally balance.	sacts banking businessof every description. INTEREST ALLOWED	VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,	children laugh at a clown in a circum I have seen men in tubs, where they have
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., 6 ., St ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., .,	daily balances. Fixed Deposits 12 months 4½% per Annum Do. 6 months 4 % Do.	ROOM FURNITURE, &c., &c. Also	enton away by quicklime. I have see men crushed to death in sacks of buffal
Ohief Manager.	Do. 3 months 31% Do.	I COTTAGE PIANO by Arthur Allison, in good condition.	hide as these dried slowly in the sun, whilst the wretch inside gaze
Hongkong, Length, 704-1101	Hongkong, November 18, 1907 416	Several Pieces of Canton Blackwood Ware.	despairing at a cool fountain that gurgle a foot beyond his lips. I have seen me
HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.	DUSSO-CHINESE PANK,	Catalogues will be issued. Tankis:—Cash on delivery.	crucified. I have seen men suffer the lingchi, the slicing process, which last
DRE business of the above Bank is con- ducted by the HONGKONG AND		OD	for days, and the sufferers were lil
HANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-	ORGANISED UNDER IMPERIAL DEGREE OF	FRIDAY,	wastage coast from the butcher's blockbefore exhaustion set them free.
ION. Rules may be obtained on ap	15,000,000 Roubles.	2.45 P.M., at 'ABERGELDIE,' Plantation Road, (No. 122, The Peak),—	heat of anger, not as the result of fana
INTEREST on deposits is allowed at PER CENT. per annum. Depositors	CAPITAL contributed by OHINESE GOVERNMENT5,000,000 K. Taels.	A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD	ardour, but smilingly and in cold blood. Well, I replied, we Westerners have o
by transfer at their option balances of 100 or more to the HONGKONG AND		FURNITURE (Particulars from Catalogue).	own share of barbarous laws to look ba
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J. R. M. SMITH. Chief Manager.	Andijon Khokand Peking Batoum Kiachta Samarkand Balgowest Kirin San Francisco	2.30 P.M., at 'DUNOTTAR,' (No. 82), The Peak,—	of long peace. The wreck composed himself to sle
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osha	cruiser, 1st class	9800	ļ ·		Capt. G. T Lemts	Bongkong
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Foreign Men-of-war on the Ohina and Japan Station;

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ger	French cruiser	2000			Commander Kerlhue.	Cape St. James
ouette	torpedo-boat	123	1 1	500	Lieut, Andouard	Canton
gus	French gunboah	4210			Comdr. Rochae	Bale d'Aong
raix	French cruiser	_	- 1	150	& Lieut. Hue	Shanghai
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ecidés	French cruiser	11,242	\ 		Capt. Tracon	Hongkeng
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sturgeon	French destroyer	350	\ T	80\$	Lieut. Thurry	Saigon
ronde enri Riviere	French gunboat		-		Lieut. Porte:	balgon
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ersaint	Franch crosser	1250	† 6	2200	Commander Simon	Salgon
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DEATHS.

McKendrick. On March 17, at Manila OHARLES MCKENDEICK, late Chief Engineer China Navigation Co.'s S. S. "Kwangse."

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LIBERAL PARTY'S' DILEMMA.

That Mr Asquith was to become titular as well as acting Prime Minister has been foreseen for some time by those who follow Home politics. Sir Henry in the pudding and engar in the soup. A Blend of the Finest Pure | Campbell-Bannerman's health has given anxiety ever since he formed his ministry and it was generally understood that sooner or later he would seek partial political seclusion. In the ordinary course of things Sir Henry, upon retiring, would accept a title and serve his party in the House of Lords Unfortunately for him and for his party he has threatened the Upper House with extinction. As Unionist papers at Home are pointing out if he accepts a seat in the chamber he declares to be doomed he will be placed in a ludicrously invidious position but if he contents himself-with resigning the Liberal party will lose the services of the one man whose personality has done so much to hold that party together. There are brainier and more able men in the Cabinet than Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman but it is questionable any other kind of calm are having no whether there is one who could bind the unwieldy majority so closely together as Sir Henry. While he can hardly be called a great statesman he is certainly great politician. Thus it would be disastrous for the party if he was to withdraw altogether from political life. Mr Asquith with all his great gifts has never quite appealed to the popular imagination. Judging by report, which is the only method by which we at this distance can judge, he is respected and escapes from his own countrymen who esteemed but he does not possess that are engaged in the so-called insurrecpersonal magnetism which was Mr Gladstone's most valuable possession WATSON & CO., and which to a less extent can be

Mr Gladstone's followers that they to prevent awkward questions arising would follow him through fire and cer. later on. In all seriousness there has tainly many of them committed political been and is great distress in Korea, not suicide with a full consciousness of what they were doing. That there will eve be this kind of enthusiasm for M Asquith seems extremely unlikely. 'The position is one of real seriousness for the Liberal party. Obviously it is in possible for the present arrangement be continued indefinitely, neither would from their own coffers. it be fair to Mr. Asquith. It is to be hoped though that Sir Henry will risk the opprobrium he is certain to meet he takes a title. The duties of the Peers are nothing like so strenuous as those the Lower House and no doubt th Prime Minister would soon recover ! health and be able to render his party United Kingdom and Europe will be great services in the chamber where a There would be a bowl of indignation in London from May to October; will be and amusement if it were announced visited. Further particulars and prothat Sir Henry was to be ennobled but it would soon die away and be replaced by a consciousness that the right thing had been done. We trust that Sir the Japanese Exhibition of 1912.

serious indisposition. Those who can recall the days when the Duke of Edinburgh visited the Colony—they are very few now-probably had something recalled to their minds when they read the paragraph on Saturday stating that Captain Vanghan-Lee was rowed over to the mailship by Keppel who had given him his first insight into the delights and mysteries of a nautical life. The gallant Admiral and was returning to London by the mail steamer which left at 8 o'clock on Galatea's boats manned by officers, and with the Duke acting as stroke, waiting decidedly something fine about this story and it has the unusual advantage

An American lady who was once,

resident in San Francisco has been holding forth on the servant question to a representative of a Pittsburg paper. anxiety. This is the lady's tribute to the eulogy of John: "The Chinese servant is a literal person. He will do what he is told, even if it be to put salt Left to himself, he has ideas, and good ones, and he does not have to be nagged to do his work. He is undefatigable. economical, fond of children, and his kitchen is the most speckless and tidy looked like mud that had very recently run place in the house, as a rule. Chinese laundry is a good example of the order and neatness of the Chinamen compared to the wild confusion of the average Occidental laundry. It is a distristeful task to criticise the enthusfastic but we must say that the cleanliness of the average Hongkong kitchen is certainly nothing to rave over. cook may be economical but as a rule he crossing the water John gains in virtue.

does not betray the fact. Possibly by experience of these celestial paragons of whom we read from time to time. merits of Japanese rule in Korea the inhabitants of the country which long ago ceased to be the land of morning or end of a had time. Between the troops and the insurgents the unhappy farmer has a lively time of it. If he tries to behave as a wise man should and let the other fellows fight it out among themselves he slips down hard between the two stools and bumps himself badly. A few insurgents may call upon him casually and after passing bitter remarks about his patriotism, hurn his house tion le has an excellent chance of suffering when the troops pay him a visit. It stands to reason that the troops can never be absolutely sure that a farmer claimed by Sir Henry Campbell-Ban- is not a rebel. To make sure that they THE quicker a cold is gotten rid of the South Dakota I was taken ill of what I nerman. The possession of that in- will not suffer if a mistake is made they definable gift may make all the difference generally burn the suspect's house down It was said of and occasionally shoot him out of hand storekeepers.

only among the Koreans but also the Japanese settlers. The young Emperor of Korea has promised to relieve as Lane, Crawford and Co.'s, and Falconer many as possible, Korean and Japanese and Co.'s. alike, out of his privy purse. Here is a good opportunity for Japan to counteract the bad feeling created in Korea by adding a substantial contribution

A WORLD-WIDE TOUR.

Vocux Road, have arranged for a round from South China, which is timed to leave qui vive. According to the remarks of and keeps in close touch with his great Hongkong in May or early June. The principal cities of Canada, United States, visited and the party will return by way of Egypt where about a week will be spent. The Angle-French Exhibition, to be held grames can be had at the local office.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

New Fouth Wales will take part in

Henry will soon recover from his present Heavy snowstorms have recent! caused frequent interruption to Japanese

> Mr H. H J. Gompertz sits as Puisne Judgo during Mr A. G. Wise's absence, and Mr T. R. Wood presides in the Small Court at the Magistracy.

A lecture on "Japan, the Ally of Britain," was delivered under the auspices his late officers. When H. R. H. arrived of the Y.M.C.A. Literary and Debating at the Colony he found here Admiral Society on Saturday evening by Mr W. T. R. Preston, Commissioner of Commerce for Canada. The subject was well-treated and the audience listened attentively.

And enjoyable "Smoker" was held at the Kowloon Docks on Saturday evening, under the chairmanship of Mr W. the very morning that the Duke was to Davison. Messrs Pearson, Taylor, Sibbit, Ayris, R. L. Bridger, C. Crispin, Brown, Admiral reached Murray Pier to bis Pipers Barry, Reed, and Cook, contributed surprise and delight he found one of the to the evening's entertainment, and Mr P. Browne acted as accompanist.

An order has been issued by the to take him off to the steamer. There is Chinese Ministry of the Interior to the various Viceroys and Governors to the relating to public affairs or to politics are not discussed are allowed to be held, but that, if any officials should attend such meetings without permission to do so from Indo-China, had an audience of their superiors, they will be punished.

Viceroy Chang Jen-chan, of Canton, America. Since she left California, she stated, she is reported to have declared, that in future, had been almost worried out of her life should any steamers bring in rifles or by servants. In the Pacific coast state ammunitions, or happen to discharge them however, everything in the domestic where the Tatsu Maru was caught, they garden was lovely. She had a Chinanan will nevertheless be seized, and that there who acted as cook, butler and general is nothing in the result of the late incident help and he never caused her a moment's to prevent China from reaching out her hand to capture gun-running steamers.

shot up, lasting ten-minutes. The vessel was then thirteen miles off. On approaching the Island a stream was found which Railway Compony. .The down from the Island into the sea. Uptorn, trees in the stream had leaves on them which were still green. Mud Island, which was formed about a year ago, recently disappeared, and was a little to the north of Foul Island.

Mr A. Abdoolrabim, who has been in the service of the late Mr W. Danby as Assistant Civil Engineer for the past 13 years, announces in another column that he has commenced practice to-day as an Architect and Surveyor at No. 34 Queen's Road Central. Mr Abdoolrahim has been Certain it is that few people have local 29 years in the Colony. He was educated here and is well versed in Chinese. He was first articled to Mr. Wm S'John Hancock, F.R.I.B.A., F.S.I., on whose Quite apart from the merits or de retiring he joined the late Mr Danby. By his long connection with Mr Dauby Mr Abdoolrahim has gained a thorough knowledge of the requirements of the Colony in himself, he always took great interest in To Major Chapman the inspection officer regard to building construction, &c.

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THE BOYCOTT.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, March 23. The Self-Government Society is ver active now-a-days. Sub-Committees have been appointed, and each Committee has its own branch of work. They are, as the Messrs Thos. Cook and Sons, 16, Des Chinese say, rolling over the Japanese. It is hard to say what will be the result. some influential members of the parties the most difficult question is coal, in spite of the numerous coal mines. the quantity turned out is far from sufficient for home consumption, much has yet to be shipped from Japan. if the boycott is carried out.

Local Efforts.

boycott against Japan in Hongkong, inaugurated the publication in England of Posters calling on the Chinese to boycott storm warnings, transmitted by telegraph Japanese goods were put up this morning, from America, and he established the but were promptly pulled down again by Commercial Cable. As a sportsman Mr the authorities. While they were up they Bennett ranks high. Ever he has been a attracted the attention of considerable keen yachtsman and in his day has owned numbers of Chinese.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The serious illness of M. Paul Brunat reported from Paris. The latest news was unhappily, far from reassuring.

Mr. W. W. Rockhill, the United States Minister at Peking, passed through Yokohania on March 16 en route fo

Mr G. H. Medhurst, of Messrs Dodwell and Co., goes Home shortly on leave, and will go back to Europe. during his absence Mr E. G. Barrett will manage the business.

detained at Nagasaki in consequence failure to pay for her supplies of coal; she is a vessel of 160 tons.

The Governor of Niigata, Japan, reports

effect that meetings at which questions fire at Niigata and that the total loss of property is estimated at Y5,000,000. M. Beau, Governor-General of French a doctor, an electrician, a wireless telegraph

Emperor of Japan on March 16 and sailed aboard—all told 102 souls. from Yokohama on the 18th for home, via

Mr van Heemstede, of the Kanagawa Prefectural Office, Japan, has been decorated with the Fifth Order of the Double Rising Sun in recognition of meritorious ervice rendered during the Russo-Japanese

In the Montreal papers of 13th Feb. the marriage of Miss Carrie Renwick The steamer "Menatoby" reports see- Morton, to Mr William J. Wright, was ing on February 6 on voyage from Rangoon announced to take place quietly on the to Akyab, what appears to have been a 26th Idem at the residence of her mother, and 200 men, including Artillery, Envolcanic eruption on Foul Island. A mass Mrs William Morton, 67 Prospect Street, gineers and the Mounted Troop. The Bandof flame, 500 feet high by 200 feet broad, Westmount, P. Q. Mr Wright will be of the Third Middlesex Regiment headed remembered as a former member of the the parade and enlivened the march from Hongkong staff of the Canadian Pacific Headquarters to the inspection ground by

> Arthur Shewan, brother of Mr Robert Shewan. He was an old and esteemed paraded with the Volunteer Troop on the resident of Shanehai, and had been in right, the Artillery Corps in the centre hospital for a period of three months, and the Engineers on the left, with the suffering from an attack of pleurisy and on bificers of each half-company in front. the 18th in turning over in bed a vessel of Major General Broadwood was received the heart was ruptured and he died peace. with the customary salute and he passed fully in his sleep. Mr Shewan came out to down the lines inspecting the men, after China about thirty-three years ago and join- which various evolutions, were performed. ed the firm of Turner and Co. as tea-taster. The troopers showed no small amount of After several years' service with that firm, skill in the handling of their ponies; the he became associated with the firm of Artillery men demonstrated the fact that Shewan and Co., of which his brother, they had profited by the lessons of the Mr Robert Shewan, was senior partner. season and handled the maxims skillfully ; Later he became one of the partners of while the Engineers were put through Greaves and Co., whose firm is now Ged- infantry drill. To the strains of the des and Co., and about six years ago re- Middlesex Band the entire parade marched linquished his interest in that business and past the saluting base in quarter column became a sharebroker. Mr Shewan was formation and were marched back shortly always a keen sportsman. A cricketer afterwards. the game, and was also an owner of race- expressed his gratification at the smartness ponies and an old and prominent member and general efficiency shown and the large of the Shanghai Race Club.

THE FOCK-SMIRNOFF DUEL

The Cause of the Quarrel.

NEW YORK, March 19, General Fock challenged General Smirnoff on duel on the ground that his reputation had been injured by the memorandum which General Smirnoff handed to

PROMINENT lady of Brooklyp, Kennett, and G. Blood.

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New York, U.S.A., writes to in quire where she can obtain Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. She A "TRUCE" BY ROOSEVELT While stopping at a ranch in better. Procure a bottle of Cham- seemed to be cholera. They gave me some berlain's Cough Remedy and no time will of this medicine and it coured me. I whother the cold is slight or brought a bottle home and have just used a truck with rich malefactors for the pursevere. For sale by all chemists and the last of it to-day." For sale by all chemists and storekespers.

MR JAMES GORDON BEN-NETT'S PARTY.

Arrival of the Lysistrata.

Mr James Gordon Bennett's handsome yacht Lysistrata entered the port early yesterday morning and anchored in the man-of-war anchorage. She is one of the most sumptuously fitted private vessels. that have been seen in the harbour and her owner, who is also captain, takes great pride in her. Even to the slightest detail in controlling and provisioning the yacht Mr. Bennett personally attends, and it says much for the marvellous energy and resourcefulness of the man when it is known that despite his 67 years (just as old as the British control of Hongkong) he But it seems that the parties are on the personally manages all his own concerns

"New York Herald." Mr Bennett was born in New York on May 10, 1841, being the son of a journalist of the same name, and in 1872 inherited and the "Herald" and a large fortune, With these he has built up a name for himself With regard to marine products for which that will endure. In 1874-77 he fitted Japan makes China almost the sole market, out the expedition of the late Henry there might be a considerable curtailment M. Stanley to Africa to find Livingstone, and in 1879 sent the Jeannette expedition to try and reach the pole. These expenditures were of international importance, and so, actually, are other large-An attempt is being made to run the things that Mr Bennett has done. He some fine boats. The Gordon-Bennett motor and ariel unvigation contests alone made his name known throughout the

> Mostly he lives in Paris (though he spends considerable time on his yacht) and keeps active management of the "New York Herald" by cable.

> The present cruise of the Lysistrata hasbeen from the Continent to Coylon, the Straits Settlements, Manila and Hongkong-From here the yacht will proceed on Wednesday to Singapore. Then Java will be visited, and after that Mr Bennett

The party with Mr Bennett are the Duc' de Camastra, Duchesse de Camastra, Duc d'Eboli, Baronne de Reuter, Master de Another small Russian steamer has been Reuter and Governess, and Mr P. Mitchell. Yesterday they were ashere seeing the sights, and last night proceeded to Canton,

whence they will return to-night. The yacht is fitted with one must and has wireless telegraphy installed. She is 626 that six persons were injured in the recent tons nett, and 1942 gross. She carries two steam launches, a motor launch, five boats and two life saving rafts. There is: the operator, eleven officers, and a crew of 75'-

THE VOLUNTEERS.

Annual Inspection

The Hongkong Volunteers were marshall ed at the Volunteer Headquarters on Saturday afternoon for the annual inspection by His Excellency Major General R. G. Broadwood, Officer Commanding the Forces in South China, and marched down to Causeway Bay with the Maxim guns. There was a very creditable turn-out, 14 officers their music. The men looked well in their khaki uniforms (full marching order) and The death took place on March 18 at the Artillery units hauled the maxim guns

the General Hospital, Shanghai, of Mr through the streets. On arrival at Causeway Bay the men

In the evening the Officers of the Corps gave a dinner at the Volunteer Headquarters, at which the following were

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Frederick Lugard, (Honorary Colonel of the crops), Capt. Tayl r. A.D.C., Mr A. J. Brackenbury (Private Secretary), Major-General Broadwood, Captain Heathcote, A.D.C. Captain A. H. S. Hart-Synott, Major A. Chapman, Major D. Macdonld Capt. A. J. in connexion with the Port Arthur Thompson (Staff Officer) Lieut R. M. Cross, R.G.A., Capt. J. H. W. Armstrong. Capt. T. Skinner, Capt. M. S. Wood, Capt. W. A. Grake, Capt. W. Nicholson, Lieuts. Northcoto W. M. Scott, C. H. Ross, H. W.

Sonstor Tillman has declared in the Schate that President Roosevelt has made those of prosecuting some secret compaign.

J. G. M'Ewen, h Sutton

H. Ellis, not out

Won by Police.

W. Pitt, b Brown

A. Tucker, o Williams, b Sutton

G. Gipson, o Walton, b Wray ...

McKay, b Walton

. Hoggarth, l.b.w., Wray

C. H. Parkinson and J. A. Wheal

CHAIGENGOWER P. POLICE.

Ogg, b Brown... W. R. Edwards, c Manderson, b Basa

Kent, c Brown, b Vincenot

Y.M.C.A. r. ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE.

Won by Young Men's Christian As-

ST. STEPREN'S COLLEGE.

H. Matthaey, h Siemsen

Ng Sze Un, e Wong, b Lee

Ho Wing Ching, b Lee

Ho Wing Kin, o Mazerine, b Siemsen

Li Chor, b Chi, b Siemsen

Fung Man Sui, b Siemsen

Ho Wing Hung, run out

Ng Hon Ting, not out

Lan Ming Sor, b Lee

T. M. C. A.

Leung Kam Shue, b Lec

Wei Ping Hon, b Lee ...

Sundries ...

W. Wong, b Ho Wing Hung

H. White, b Ho Wing Ching

Y. M. Juman, retired ...

W. Jenkins, did not bat

Ho Wing Hung

Ho Wing Kin

A. G. Siemsen, b Ho Wing Ching

G. Lee, b Ho Wing Kin

F. C. Mow Fung, b Fung Man Sui .

E. Mow Fung, c and b Fung Man Sui

F. W. Farne, c and b Ho Wing Ching

I. Chunyut, not out

Football.

THE SHIELD COMPETITION

"F" COMPANY DEFEATED.

received a rude shock on Saturday after-

noon, when the much fancied "F" Com

pany team was defeated by H.M.S. Bedford

tendance of military and naval spectators

H. M. S. Bedford : Goal, Richard :

Birham and Barton: halves, Captain

lack of combination, and when close

to goal their efforts were always weak.

Once or twice, however, a good kick was

sont in, but Richards was always on the

alort and saved the ball from going into

goal. Churchill, at centre half, did a lot of I

good work, benting the opposing halves

casily but he was generally relibed by the

rush down field by the Bedford forwards

but the sterling play of Barton stopped

again, where Churchill gave Maxtend

fine opening. The latter tried to be tricky

with the result that he allowed the oppos-

the Middlesex goal robbed the sailors of

Myers, Smith and Haines.

and Wright.

The followers of the Middlesex Regiment

A. R. King, c Irving, b Hancock

Insp. Langley, b Manderson

SIR JOHN JORDAN.

ARRIVAL AT SHANGHAI.

(From Our Correspondent.) SHANGHAI, March 23. Sir John Jordan, British Minister at Peking, arrived here to-day and will proceed south in a few days.

LABOURITES REJOICA.

RETURN OF KEIR HARDIE.

Exclusive Service, supplied by Renter. via Bombay.)

London, March 22.

The labourites are "preparing a great demonstration to welcome Keir Hardie upon his return from abroad.

GOVERNMENT'S COURAGE.

TEMPORARY ADVERSES INCONSEQUENTIAL.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay.)

LONDON, March 22.

Mr H. Gladstone, Home Secretary, in the course of a speech-at the National Liberal Club, said that the Government viewed with equanimity only slight temporary adverses in bye-elections, and great measures.

THE LICENSING BILL.

GOVERNMENT UNDISMAYED.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, ria Bombay.)

London, March 23.

Mr A. Birrell, President of the Board of Education, speaking at Eastbourne, declared that the Government was undismayed at the cries of danger. They would fight in the cause

[BEUTER'S SERVICE.] THE INDIAN BUDGET.

A Surplus.

LONDON, March 20. get for 1908-1909 will show a surplus appropriated as follows: -of £571,500. Owing to the Famine Relief it is anticipated that the 1907- 10 per cent., \$1,600; General Managors 1908 year will close with a surplus of sion, \$583.58; Special bonus to Mr Sepiess, £235,700, instead of £774,000 as estimated.

THE AMERICAN FLEET.

Possibly Visit China.

LONDON, March 20. Japan has invited the United States fleet to any port in Japan, and it is understood in Washington that the invitation will be accepted.

President Roosevelt, in an interview, said that he sent the Battleship fleet round the world to make Americans feel proud of their navy, and also to show other nations the strength of America.

It is believed in Washington that the demned to death. American fleet will visit Yokohama, and an invitation is expected from China, in which case Shanghai will be visited.

THE MONEY MARKET.

Bond Issue Fails.

London, March 20. In spite of the 3% Bank rate, money is not abundant, and the issue of the Grand Trunk Pacific Bonds, of £2,000 000 is a total failure.

ORIENTALS IN CANADA

No Favouritism.

LONDON, March 21.

In the Ottawa House of Commons. the Minister of the Interior stated that | Parliament for a vote of £60,000 towards Japanese and Hindus will be treated the Battlefields of Quebec memorial slike, in regard to exclusion or deports-

DO NOT UROWD THE SEASON.

with them a desire to get out and enjoy the exhilarating sir and sunshine. Children that have been housed up al winter are brought out and you wonder where they all came from. The heavy winter clothing is thrown aside, a cold wave comes and influenza is prevalent. Colds at this sesson are even more dangerous than CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIO, CHOLERA in mid-winter, as there is much more danger of pneumonia. Take Chamberlain's Cough Bamedy, however, and you will have nothing to fear. It always cores, and counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in premnonia. For sale by all chemists and storekeepers.

THE TATSU MARU.

Further Difficulties Encountered.

count of illness and the steamer was brought down in charge of a pilot.

THE THEATRE.

"The Girls of Gottenburg" was staged at the Theatre Royal last night but the attendance was not as large as might have been anticipated. The piece went with wing, however, and those who were present came away satisfied with Constance Lait takes her benefit and a full "The Runaway Girl" is to be staged and on Wednesday we are promised a treat in the performance of "Les Merveilleuses," This piece is highly spoken of and as it is being staged here for the first time a large crowd should be present.

The Bandmann management regret to announce that owing to the alteration of the sailing time of the P. and O. s.s. Nore for Shanghai the following will be the last four nights of this season : To-night, Miss Hook of Holland; Tuesday, "A Runaway Girl;" Wednesday "Les Merveilleuse,"

Those who have booked seats for Miss Club by breaking out the flag. Corlass's benefit on Friday night are advis-Thursday's performance.

PARIS TOILET CO.

The following is the report for presentation to the shareholders at the second general meeting to be held at the offices of the General Managers, at 12,30 p.m. on Saturday, 28th March:

ment of accounts to that date.

Our business is now running very Yacht smoothly and we are glad to say has be VERNON come very much better known as is proved Ausa by the fact that our turnover is considerlicensing reform until victory was ably larger now than it was this time last KATHLEEN year. Two months ago we sent out cir. The beacon was rounded by Vernon culars stating that we had just opened a about two and a half minutes ahead of parlour for manicure and are glad to say that our receipts from this branch has justified our doing so, and we trust that it will materially increase our popularity and incidentally our profits.

The net profit for the period under review amounts to \$3,918.98 which your Kathleen 3 It is estimated that the Indian Bud- General Managers recommend should be Colleon 3

8180; Write off Preliminary Expenses, 8418.50; Write off Furniture, \$254.51 Write off Goodwill Account, \$340.14; Re-Ferre for Home Passages, \$100; Reserve for Bad and Doubtful debts, \$100. Total \$3,860.16. Carried forward to 1908, \$58.82.

Total \$3.918.98. AUDITOR .- Mr Edgar G. Barrett, la results being :corporated Accountant, has audited the Accounts for the period under review but in consequence of pressure of business does not seek re-election. The General Managers recommend the election of Mr | proved the stronger, the scores being :-Beattie who offers his services. PERCY SMITH & SETH,

General Managers.

Orchard, who turned informer in connexion with the murder of Mr Steumenberg, ex-Governor of Idaho, has been con-

THE IDAHO MURDER.

RIOTS AT NINGPO.

Protest Against Taxes.

Reports from Ningpo state that on the E. H. Hinds morning of the 16th instant riots brokeout | Capt. Beasley at Hengkia, in Ningpo prefecture. The cause of the disturbance is said to be the Major Macfarlane, b Hancock ... imposition of heavy taxes upon the people E. H. Hinds, b Hancock of that district. The District Police Capt. Beasley, c Hinds, b Stevens ... Major Hamilton, c Pearce, b Hancock Superintendent who, hearing of the state A. McAngie, c Substitute, b Stevens of affairs, went to preserve order, was M. Chilcote, b Stevens captured and maltreated by the rioters. Business is now at a standstill, and the local authorities there have requested the Governor of Chekiang to dispatch a force of trooops to restore order.

f a resolution to move in the Canadian

The "Asahi" has received a Chefoo telegram announcing that the German Consulate there was destroyed by fire on March 7. The fire originated at 11 o'clock THE first warm days of spring bring in the morning in the Consul's room on the upper floor, and the premises were completely destroyed. The message adds that all the archives and important papers

AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

THIS remedy has been in use for over Q. M. Segt. Williams, c M'Ewen, b thirty years and has proved their to he the most successful remedy yet discovered for bowel complaints. It never fails. Sold by all chemists and storekespers.

SPORTING.

Yachting.

W. Bond, c Cox, h Sutton ... THE ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB. The Tatsu Marn was doomed not to get | On Saturday afternoon His Excellency to Hongkong without further trouble, for Sir Frederick Lugard formally opened the while on the voyage from Canton she went Royal Hongkong Yacht Club House near aground near the Capsimun pass at about Causeway Bay-a description of which has a quarter to five yesterday afternoon, already appeared in our colums. The Very little damage was done to the vessel, attendance was large and the presence of the however, and by eleven o'clock on the same various yachts belonging to the club gave a evening the Tatsu Mara was reflected and picturesque aspect to the scene. The Hon. entered the harbour. The Captain of the Mr H. E. Pollock, K. C., welcomed the vessel remained behind in Canton on ac- Governor's arrival in the following terms:-Your Excellency, in the absence of Mr May, our commodore, the pleasant task has fallen to me of welcoming Your Excellency to-day, and inviting you to open the premises of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club. Our Club which was originally known as the Corinthian Sailing Club has been in Insp. McHardy, run out existence for some eighteen years but we Devney, b H. Rapp have not until the present time been so J. Bell, b H. Rapp fortunate as to have any Club premises of Fowler, c A. E. Asger, b H. Rapp ... our own. In 1894 we became, by royal warrant, the Royal Hongkong Yacht entertainment provided. To-night Miss Club and I may say that since we started as the Corinthian Sailing E. Irving, b Irvine house is expected. To-morrow evening Club in 1899 we have improved the type H. Rapp, run out... ... and design of our boats until at present we H. L. Manderson, b King have a fleet of yachts and cruisers of which R. Basa, c and b Pitt ... think we may well be proud. Before L. A. Rose, b Kent these premises were erected, sir, we M. E. Asger, h Irvine ... amalgamated with the Hongkong Boating F. Rapp, b Irvine ... Club, which includes amongst its members L. Vincenot, not out

some of the best oarsmen in this Colony. A. E. Asger, absent Therefore we are able not only to carry on yachting but we are able also to enter teams to compete in rowing We ask Your Excellency now to open the Club and I have to thank you, sir, on behalf of the members and Thursday, farewell night and compli- for your kindness in coming here to sociation. mentary to Miss Corlass. "The Merry day, when you have so many calls upon your time. I will ask you to open the

His Excellency then "broke" the Club ed to apply early to Messrs Moutrie and flag which fluttered bravely out to the apmeant to continue the work of passing | Co. to have the seats transferred for plause of the onlockers. His Excellency then said: I wish every possible success to the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club and I hope I may be here to see its success for some years to come. (Applause.)

Rousing cheers were given for His Excellency and the new premises were then

LADIES RACE. A race for the yachts of the Club sailed The General Managers beg to submit to by ladies over a course from a line between the shareholders their report on the Com- the Siren and a markboat to Lycemoon pany's business for the thirteen months Beacon and back was sailed during the ending 31st December 1907 with a state afternoon, starting at 3.35. The following were the starters and the landicaps :-

Sailed by Handicap. Mrs Denison Scratch. Mrs Keswick 30 secs. -24 mins. Mrs Bird Mrs Pollock Mrs Walker

Kathleen, with Colleen one and a half minutes further away, Bonito next and Ailsa last. The same order was maintained to the finish the times being :-

Bonito was about a minute behind Col-Auditors' Fee, 850; Pay a Dividend of leen, and Ailsa was close behind Bonito.

Cricket.

Owing to the fact that there were no league matches on Saturday there was little general interest in cricket, but several friendly games were played, the

HONGKONG CLUB MATCH. The married members were pitted against the single men, but the latter team

1	" SINGLE.		
	T. E. Pearce, b Macfarlane W. A. Powell, c Chilcote, b Marfarl	เทย	
	т и Stevens, b Macfarlane	414	
	W. C. Hicks, h Macfarlane A. A. Hamilton, b Macfarlane	+ +	
	A. A. Claxton, b Hamilton L. J. Wishart, b Macfarlane		
-	H. Hancock, c Macfarlane, b Macket	nzio	
-		4.7	
	E. A. Fowler, did not bat Sundries		
		-	
	Total for (9 wkts.) BOWLING.	•••	
	O. M.	14, 1	
	•		

Major Macfarlane ... 15 Major Hamilton ... 5 F. P. Shroff, b Stevens Wover, b Stevens F. W. Kew, did not bat G. Hastings, not out Total for (8 wickets)

R.G.A. BERGTS T. CIVIL BERVICE "A." The mombers of the Royal Garrison Artillery were "At Home" on the Civil Service ground, Happy Valley. A cricket match was played, the result being :-

Q. M. Sgt. Clarke, c Burdett, by Sergt, Hall, b Hoggarth Sergt.-Major Owen, b M'Kay ... Sergt. Sutton, o Tucker, b Hoggarth Sergt.-Major Wray, c Thornhill, b M'Kay Mr G. Thompkins, b Hoggarth Sergt. Walton, o Thornhill, b Hoggarth Sergt. Houth, not out

seemed to be at a loss what to do with the 25 ball, and Birham was able to get it away and send up to his forwards.

The half ended without a score, but must be acknowledged that the Middlesex team had had the better of the game. Their play was of a brighter nature than that of their opponents, but the latter were playing a hard bustling game and managed to wriggle out of many a tight corner. Once 145 during the half the ball was actually put into the sailors' goal but the referee had blown the whistle for a free kick-presumably for off-side—just before the kick was taken.

The second half saw the soldiers attacking strongly but the tables were soon turned. The game had by this time review, and rates on the whole have condeveloped into an exceedingly fast one and both sides had their turn of attacking. The only goal of the match came early in the second spell and was the result of a corner kick taken by Haines. It was a splendid kick, the ball dropping right in front of goal. There was a rush by both teams and in the middle of the melee a wild roar from the Bedford supporters announced that the ball had found a resting small sale is reported; and China Traders place inside the net. The soldiers made continued in request at 891. North Chinas redoubled efforts after this but could are easier with sellers at Tls. 84. Yangtazes a school for the education of a hundred not pierce the defence of the sailors and the game ended in a win for booked at \$295 and a few more shares are the sailors by one goal to nil. cannot be said, however, the the sailors of \$89 after sales at the rate and at \$88. had the better of the game. On play the Middlesex men were the better but their keeper was sure. Dame Fortune smiled

The defent of the soldiers came as a great surprise to many who have followed the progress of the competition, and it has fully justified the fear expressed last week by one of their supporters. The remaining semi-final is between the Hongkong Club and the King Alfred and the winner will meet H.M.S. Bedford in the final. The winner of the next semi-final will, in the opinion of the writer, annex the shield.

Hongkong Schools' Sports.

On April 27 the Hongkong Schools Athletic Sports will be held at Happy Valley. The heats of the various events will be decided on April 25.

LUZON SUGAR CO.

The following is the Report of the above Company for presentation to shareholders at the Twenty-sixth Annual General Meet- rate. ing, to be held at the office of the General Agents, at 12.30 p.m. on Thursday, 26th March. The General Agents beg to submit \$100, and Hongkong Hotels at \$98 sellers. to shareholders their report on the Company's business for the year 1907, with statement of accounts to 31st December Points continue in request in a small way

The demand for the Company's sugars throughout the year was insufficient to keep the refinery working except at a reduced melt, and in consequence of the -- low prices ruling there was only a small Total (for 7 wkts.) ... 75 margin of profit. After allowing for interest and gain in exchange the sum at debit is \$135,132.55 which is carried forward to next Account.

CONSULTING COMMITTEE.—This consists of Messrs A. G. Wood and H. P. White, who offer themselves for re-election. AUDITOR .- The Accounts have audited by Mr A. R. Lowe, C.A., who offers himself for re-election.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LD., General Aserts. Hongkong, 21st March, 1908.

THE SWATOW REFORMER.

A Nice Character!

The following is extracted from a letter in the semi-final. There was a large at to the "N. C. Daily News," and will coast ng trade only, it would appear a prove of interest here :

and a good sprinkling of civilians at the Valley to witness the match, and they reported in the Hongkong telegrams as In The circumstance that Newchwang will showed their appreciation of the play by Kni-shing, has been decided upon, one shortly open and promises to absorb some the constant roars of applause. The may speak without fear of prejudicing his tonnage, should in particular prove a consoldiers were in the majority but the naval case. The so-called Swatow reformer is men roared their oncouragement to the nothing more or less than a common bully, sailors every whit as loud. The teams one of the class described so well by Mr. of a better feeling in freights from Chefoo His ordinary name is Ch'ou and he is and it seems pretty certain that a least backs, Sleath and Shirt: halves, Evans, "Woe is me, Ch'ou!" because of the cry sphere and no longer join in the com-Clark, Wells : forwards, Taylorson, Brooks, of anguish which he extorted from any petition for coal charters.

"F" Company :- Goal, Farrant : backs, who came under his hand. In the Boxer year he was wanted because of the attentions he paid to Christians and There have been three charters only during Nowman, Stevenson, McKenna, Maxtead their churches; and since then he has the fortnight, of which the last one was attracted the notice, and incurred the anger The sailors kicked off but play was at of the mandarins by escapades similar to quoted at the close. once transferred to their own territory, and that which was preferred in the charge ing been filled, the rate has slightly receded. Richard had hard work to clear an attack | made as the ground for the application for Two steamers, fixed during the fortnight, made by Newman and Stevenson, a centre his extradition. He crowned his career by had to be satisfied with 27 cents for 20,000 by Wright giving both Newman and Steven- joining the rebels at Wongkong last year, son a chance to rush in. Richard had to give and then at last the authorities decided to 19 a corner, but it was resultless. Brooks did get hold of him. But he slipped through good work for the sailors and carried the the net, even that part of it drawn round ball to the other end of the field before Swatow, and got as far as Hougkong before disclosed so far. being beaten by Birham. The latter kick he was arrested. Of course he joined On berth terms another large carrier ed clear well up the field and Sleath failed the rebels, he is "agin the government" has found employment from Bangk to return giving Wright an opportunity but as is every man of his class, but people this port. the latter's kick was weak. The outstand- who know laugh at his claim to be regarded dull. The rate to Hongkong for dry and/or ing feature of the game at the stage was as a disinterested patriot. And yet the wet sugar is nothing better than 20 cents the extremely weak kicking of the Bed- Hongkong Court has "got there" in its per picul. Rumour has it that local Reford backs and the strength of the Middlesex decision not to grant the extradition ap fineries have taken up a prompt on boat backs. The Middlesex forwards showed their right to call him to trial by their inaction during the last ten years, during

and about Wongkong. and not Ch'ou the robber. And did the Hougkong Government suppose that even been free from ice already since a few days if the proceedings had been entirely regular, and the Chinese authorities had ongaged not to try Ch'on on any other charge than that of robbery they would Middlesex backs, who showed to advantage not have rid themselves of the rebel by cutting the head off the robber?

in stopping their opponents. A splendid During ten days ended March 10 foreign roused their supporters to great enthusiasm. trade in Yokohama was : exporte. You them when in close proximity to the goal 3,226,569, and imports, Yen 3,858,406; the exports of gold and silver to America and play was transferred to the other end amounted to Yen 17,653

FOR RHEUMATIC SUFFERERS. THE quick relief from pain afforded b L applying Chambetlain's Pain Balm. ing backs to get into position and block 14 his shot at coal. Loose play in front of makes it a favorite with sufferers from Theomatical, sciation, lame back. lumbago, and desd seated and muscular pains. For 167 good opportunity; each of the forwards sale by all chemists and atorokespers.

COMMERCIAL.

The Hongkong and Shanghai Bank has just put into circulation at Peking a series of banknotes of a new pattern and very artistically executed.

Many Japanese spinners now propose reduce the production asserting that the prize system is impracticable.

SHARE REPORT. In their weekly share report, dated 20th March, Messrs Vernon and Smytl

A fair amount of investment business been transacted during the week under tinued steady. Bar silver closes at 25 dd., and Exchange on London at 1/101 T.T. and on Shanghai at 74 T.T. The Bank England rate of discount has been reduced to 3 per cent., and the market rate for 3 months' bills to 27 per cent.

Banks. - Hongkong and Shanghais ha again been booked at \$695, the market closing steady. London is unchanged at £75 10s. Nationals 851 without feature. Marine Insurances. - Unions have been in further demand at \$840 at which rate and antons are unchanged.

wanted. There are sellers of China Fires to his diatribes, and these, combined with Shapping -Hongkong, Canton and Macaes have been booked, and are in further tian malcontents. He came to London in request at \$29. Indo-Chinas are quoted at shooting was weak and the Bedford goal \$38 and \$26 for the Preferred and Deferred combined, and at this there are probable people. By his death an undoub ed source buyers. China and Manilas and Douglases of possible trouble in Egypt is removed. continue in offer at quotations, and there are sellors of Shell Transports at 44s. 3d. Star Ferries are somewhat firmer at \$28 and 214 for the old and new issues respectively. Refineries.—China Sugars are somewhat firmer, and after sales at \$108 and \$109 close in further request. Luzons are un-

changed and have not been dealt in during the interval. Mining. - Charbonnages have hardened and can now be placed at \$540. Raubs have been booked at 28.

Docks. Wharves and Godowns .- Sales of Hongkong and Whampon Docks are reported at 896 and 898, the market closing with sellers at the higher rate. Hongkong and Kowloon Wharves are steady at \$53 ex the dividend of \$11 per share on the old issue paid on the 16th instant. now issue is quoted at the same figure, being now identical, and ranking for dividend as from the 1st January last. Shanghai Docks, after sales at Tls. 80, are slightly easier with sollers at that rate, and no buyers over Tls. 79. Shanghai and Hongkow Wharves have been sent to the north at Tls. 216 and Tls. 214, and more shares are probably procurable at the lower

Lands, Hotels and Buildings .- Hongkong Lands are unchanged with sellers Humphreys' Estates have been booked at \$10, and more shares can be placed. West

Cotton Mills - No business is reported in this section, and quotations close without any material change. Miscellaneous, -China-Borneos have been booked at \$111 and \$111 and close with

buyers at the former rate. Dairy Farms have UUIVITAIN improved to \$17 with buyers, and South China Morning Posts to \$23. Hongkong Millings have again been negotiated at \$150, at which rate the market closes firm. Green Island Cements can still be procured at \$111 after sales at the rate and at \$111. China Lights are easier with sellers at \$5. Peak Trams are steady with sales of old at \$3, and new at \$2.

THE FREIGT MARKET. Messrs Lamke and Rogge report under date of "aturday, March 21: The market during the interval under review has not presented any features of special interest except the keen demand for tonnage evinced by consumers of coul in various quarters, causing rates to tend upwards to quite an appreciable extent. With regard to coal freights, and unfortunately in connection with that branch of th

practical certainly that rates will still Now that the release of Yu Chich'eng, further ascend, inasmuch as quite a number tributing factor towards pushing up rates of freight for small sized steamers from Japan to the South... There is also evidence A. H. Smith in "Chinese Characteristics." and Yangtze River ports to the South, during the next few months "liners" known all over the county as K'u-fu Ch'ou have sufficient employment in their own

> Inquiry from Saigon to this port has been of the most meagre description owing to the flat state of the local rice market. Saigon/Philippines: - Urgent needs hav-

From Philippines to ports in North China a couple of steamers have been chartered to carry sugar cargoes. The basis of these engagements has not been

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freights have at last taken a turn for the most of which time he has lived openly in better. Especially in the direction Chefoo/. Swatow the improvement is a marked one. What they wanted was Ch'ou the rebel, "liners" being now able to secure full cargoes at 2 mace per picul. Tientsin has ago, and Newchwang traffic will re-open about the 23rd instant. Opening rates Newchwang/Canton promise to touch a higher level then last year, and the general belief is also entertained that the amount of chartering will not be so infinitesimal as in 1907. Whilst writing, we hear of the settlement of a C. N. Co's steamer for part space at the good rate of 30 cents

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DEATH OF KAMIL PASHA.

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Egyptian National Leader.

CATRO, Feb. 10. The death occurred to-day of Mustapha Pasha Kamil, leader of the Nationalist

[Many qualifications were united in Must-

apha Pasha Kamil which fitted him for the position he occupied as the foremost expositor of the aims and objects of the Egyptian Nationalist movement. He was man of considerable wealth, and European education had made him perfect English and French scholar. whilst extensive travel had tought him the advantages to be derived from the political freedom exercised by Western nations. He went back to Cairo imbued with the idea that his countrymen en mosse were as fully qualified for representative government on similar lines. Henceforth his speeches and writings reflected his attitude of bitter hostility to the British administration of Egypt. He was the proprietor and editor of the Arabic newspaper "El Lewa," in Cairo, in the columns of which he carried on a vigorous campaign against the British Government. At his own expense he established and maintained Fire Insura ces.—Hongkongs have been to carry on his propagands. Certain French newspapers gave a ready admission soon placed him at the head of the Egyp-1906 to lay the aims and policy of the Egyptian "patriots" before the English

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :--On the 23rd at 11.55 a.—The barometer has risen over the Bonins, and fallen elsewhere, particularly in N. China.

A depression is moving Eastwards over

N. China, and the high pressure area now lies over the Pacific to the S.E. of Japan. Light or moderate variable winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel, and moderate monsoon over the China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

to-morrow. FORECAST DISTRICT. 1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood: Variable winds, light or moderate; cloudy,

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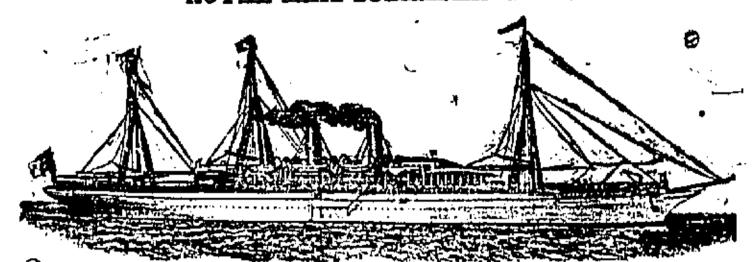
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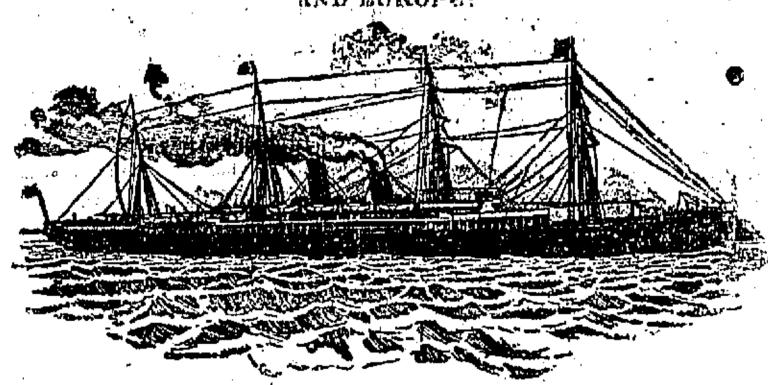
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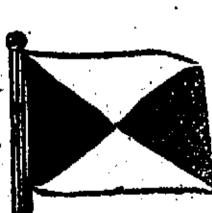
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SNOWSTORMS IN JAPAN.

Disaster at a Mine.

It is reported from Aomori says the "Kobe Henld" of March 10, that a great snowstorm set in on Saturday, with the result that communications both by land and sea hadto be suspended and had not been resumed yesterday when the message was despatched. A telegram from Sapporo says that a movetorm commenced there on the 7th and was still in progress yesterday afternoon. The whole of the railway communications and part of the telegraphic communications are suspended.

Japanese papers report that snow commenced to fall at Funaisn cho, Yoshiki district, Gila Prefecture, on March 7 and became very heavy on Sunday evening. The storm isted till two o'clock yesterday, morning and destroyed one residence and four kitches buildings at the Mozune coal mine. Fifty three of the persons in the out with Electric Light and carries a duly mine precincle were missing but ten of them were subsequently found insensible and revived. The others are believed to have perished. All the constables of the 438 Funatau Police Station are searching for survivors. The Mine belongs to the Mitsui Gomei Kash and employs three hundred miners.

IMPERIAL NEWS AGENCY.

A Novel Proposal.

Mr William Skene, Secretary of the Vancouver Board of Trade, says the "News advertiser," has received numerous favourable replies to the resolution passed by the Board advocating the establishment of an Inter-Impulal News Agency.

Amongs them are notably those of Lord Strathcom and Sir Wilfried Lourier, both of whom sated that the matter is receiving

their best consideration. The Lordon (England) Chamber of Commerce-received the proposal most aympaco-operation in the matter.

The Chambers of Commerce representing Bristol, Liverpool, Sheffield, Leicester. Edinburgh and Dundee entered their emphatic approval of the demands of Canada

Notices to Consignees

· BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BENVENUE.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being Chicken, -Kai Chai ... landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of Capons, Large, Small,—Si the Hongsong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, whence and/or from the harves delivery, may be obtained. Goods have left the Godowns, and all Eggs, Hen-Kai Tan-No Claims will be admitted after the Goods remaining undelivered after the 27th Fowls, Canton, -Kal inst. will be subject to rent.

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will be tramined on the 26th inst., at No Fin Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Honglong, March 20, 1908.

AMERICAN ASIATIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship LOWTHER CASTLE, Captair Lightonier, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongroud and KOWIGON WHARY AND GODOWN Co., LAD., at Kowpon and stored at Consigness' risk No claims will be admitted after Goods have left the Godowns, and all

Goods remaining undelivered after the 26th inst., all be subject to rent. All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on THUESDAY, 26th inst., Crabs,-Hal ... No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Billiof Lading will be countersigned by SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Agents. Honkong, March 20, 1908.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVI. Eels, Congor,-Hai Maro GATION COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, Frogs,-Tien Kal ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship Persia,

being landed at their ricks, into the hazar- Labrus, -- Wong Fa Yu dons ind/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., whence delivery Lobsters,—Eung Ha The Vessel brings Cargo from :--

From Venice ex s.s. Lapad, tranship- Mollet, - Chal Yu Optional Cargo will be discharged here, Oysters, -- Sang Hoo unloundtice to the contrary be given im- Par other, -- Kat Kung Ye

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Bis of Lading will be countersigned by Rock Fish - Bek Kan Kung SANDER, WIELER & Co., Hongkong, March 17, 1908.

AVERAGE MARKET HONG KONG. PRICES.

Corrected to Thursday, March 19th, 1908. At 100 cents per Dollar Mexican.

Batcher Meat. Beef sirioin & prime out-Mel Lung Pa ... ib 19 **电**配扒 Corned-Ham Ngan Yuk Rosst,-Shiu .. Breast,-Nagu Iam .. Soup,--Tong Yuk Steak,---Ngan Yuk Pa

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Feet,-Ngau Kerk Kidneys,—Ngau Ylu Tail-Ngau Mei Liver, --- Ngan Con

Tripe (undressed)-Ngau To Oalves Head & Feet-Ngau-chal-tau-kak, set \$1.00 Matton Chop,-Young Pal Kwat Leg,-Young Pel Shoulder. - Young Shao

Pige' Chi-lings-Ohi chong Brains-Chi Know Feet,-Ch Kerk Fry,—Chi Chak Head,—Chi Tau

Heart,—Ohi Sam Kidneys, -- Ohi Yic Liver,—Chi Con Pork, Chop,-Chi Pai Kwat Corned,—Ham Chu Yak

Leg,—Chu Pel Fat or Lard,-Cha Yau Sheeps' Head and Feet.—Young Tau Kerk set 50 Heart,—Tenng Sum Kidneys,-Yenng Yiu

Liver,-Young Con Sucking Pigs, To Order-Cho Chal Suet, Beef, -Sang Ngau Yau .. Mutton,-Sang Yeung Yau ... Veal,-Ngau Chai Yuk ...

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Sausages,—Ngau Chai Cheor.g

Poultry. . Doves,-Pan Kan hainan,-Hol Nam Kai

tleese,—Ngoi Geese, Wild Sh'al,—S'ha Yer Ngol, Musk Deer,-Wong Keag Hare, Shanghal,—Tu Chai Partridge,-Ohe Kaou Pheasant, -Shan Kai ligeons, Canton,-Pak Kup Holhow,-Hol How Pak Kup. Justl.-Um-Chun Rice Birds,-Wo Fa Chenk

Snipe,—Sa-Choy Turkeys, Cock-Phor Kal Rung ... Hen, Na Wild Ducke, S'hal,—Shanghal Sul-ap pal. Teal, -Sul Ap. Chal, Wild Ducks Canton-SangShing Sui Ap, ea. \$1

Canton Fresh Water Fish,—Hol Catfish, -Chik Yu ... Codfish .- Mon Yu Outtle Fish, -Mak Ya Dab, Sa Mang Yu ... Dace,-Wong Mei Lun

Dog Fish -Tit To Sa Fresh water, Tam Blu Yu ---Eels, Yellow, -Wong Sin Garoupa,-Sek Pan ... Gudgeon,-Pak Kup Ya Herrings, -Tso Pak ... are broby informed that their Goods are

Mackerel,-Ohl Lu ... From Trieste ox 8.8. Koerber, tran- Monk Flah, -Mong Yu No Olaims will be admitted after the Perch. Two Loo Pomfret, Black.—Hak Chong

Dawns,-Ming Ha ...

Ray Pol Pa Ba

Salmon,-Ma Yau Shark,—Sa Yu Skate. -- Po Yu Shrimpe,—Ha

Sпаррег.—Lap Yu Tench,-Wan Yu Turbot.—Oho How Yu Turtles, small, fresh water, -- Kork Yu White Bait,-Ngan Yo Chal

Almonds, -Hung Yah Applea, (California)—Kam San Ping Kho (Chefoo)-Tin Chun Ping Khor ... Small,-Hot Tong ... Custard,-Fan Lai Chi Bananas, fragrant, Canton,—San Shing Heung Ohiu ...

Bananas, (brides), Macao-San Heung Chiu Chestnuts, Chinese, -- Foong Lut ... Carambola,-Yeung Tuo Coconnuts,-Yeh Tsz... Lemons, hins-Ning Moong America-Kum San Nine Moon ...

Lichees Dried-Lai Chi Small Stone Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong... Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong ... Mangosteens,—San Chuk Tax ... per 100 Oranges, (Canton)—San Shing Tim Chang 1b Oranges Sweet

Pears, (American),-Kam San Shut Li ... lb ,, (Canton), Cooking,—Sa Li Peanuts,-Fa Sang ... Persimmons Large,—Hung Chie ... Pine-apples, ist quality,—Sheung Poon Ti

2nd cocking-Chung-tang-paw-law Plantains,—Tal Cheu Plums, -- Swatow Hung Lal ... Pumelo, Siam,—Chim Le Yau Shanghai,-Lo Kwat Walnuts,-Hop Tuo. Green,-Sang Hop Tuo .-

Water Melon-(Am.) Kum San Sai Rwa... ,, Grape,-Sang Po Tai Taz ...

Vegetables, &c

Beans, (French), Macao, -- Oh Moon Pin Ta ., (French), Shanghal,—Sheung Hai Loug,—Ten Kok

Beet Root,—Hung Chot Tau Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yuen Fer Red,-Hung Ker... Cabbage, Chinese, com,-Kal Choy Cabbage Red.—Hung Yea Choy ...

Cabbage, (Shanghai),—Yeh Choi Cane Shoots, bunch, Kan Shon Cauliflower, Large size - Tal Yek Chol-ia Medium size; -- Cheung Yeh Cho -fa ., Small size,—Sai Yeh Choi Fa ---

Carrots,-Kam Shun Celery, Chinese,—Tong Kan Chol English,-Yenng , Ohilles Dried,—Con Lat Chiu Red,-Hung Fa Green,-Ohing Lat Chiu ... 大路公 Curry Stuff, English, "Ka Lee Che Line Cucumbers.-Ching Kwa ...

> Bitter Squash,-Fu Kwa Garlie,-Suen Tau ... Ginger, young,-Sun Tex Keung old,-Lo Keung ... Horse Radish, S'hai-Lik Kan Indian Corn,—Suk Mai Lettuce,-Young Sang Choi

Mandarin,-Kwei-Lum Ma Tal. Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Kho Musk Melon-(Amr. Kan San Hong Kwa sach Onlone, Bombay,-Young Chong Tau Green,-Sang Churg -Shanghal, Shoung Hal Chung Tan ..

Water Chesnuts,-Ma Tal ...

Papaw, ist qual.—Tai Man Sau Ewa 2nd ... Chung Paraley,-Kun Cho ... Green Peas,-Ohing Tau Potatoe, Sweet,-Fan Shu Shanghai, -Shoung Hat Shu Teal ...

3 上海署仔 Japan, -Yut Poon Shu Teal American, -Fa Ki Foothow, -Fuk Chan Shu Test , Pumpkin, -Toong Kwa ... Radish,-Hung Lo Pak Teal Rhubarb (Fresh) Tai Wong Sage. (Chi So Shalots, -- Con Chung Tau

Spinach, - Yin Ohol Tomatoce, Fan Ker Taros - Wu Tau Turnipe, Punti, (Long),-Low Fak English, -Young Low Pak pleas ... Vegetable Marrow,-Ohit Kwa

(Am.)—Kum San Chit I wa Water Crosses, -- Sal Young Ohol. Lily root,-Liu Ngan Yams, -Ta Sho

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MORE JAPANESE BORROWING A Loan from France.

It was rumoured here to-day says a Kobe exchange of March 9, that the Government had concluded negotiations for a French loan of Yen 200,000,000 or Yen 300,000,000 on the security of the railways. On making enquiries we were unable to obtain any confirmation of the report, but it appears to be the fact that in foreign circles which should be well informed it has for some little time been understood that negotiations of the kind were in progress. About a month ago a private telegram from Europe asserted that a French Loan of Yen 100,000,000 was being arranged.

To-day's Advertisements



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

In the matter of the Estate of MATILLO FOURIER, decoased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting to the 18th day of April, 1908, for sending in Claims against the above Estate. All Creditors are hereby required to send

their Claims to the Undersigned before the said date. Dated this 20th day of March, 1908. ARATHOON SETH,

NOTICE.

Have This Day established myself in practice as an ARCHITECT and SUR VEYOR at No. 34, Queen's Road Central Hongkong, and at SHAMEEN, CANTON. A. ABDOOLRAHIM,

Official Administrator.

34. QUREN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, March 20, 1908. NOTICE.

TURING MR G. H. MEDHURST'S absence from the Colony Mr EDGAR GEORGE BARRETT is appointed MANAGER of DODWELL & Co., LTD By Order of the Directors of DODWELL & Co., Lan. Hongkong, March 23, 1908.

HING LOONG A IT. TAMILY and SHIP'S COMPRADORE GENERAL STOREKEEPER, BUT THER BAKER and COAL DEALER Orders will be punctually attended to at moderate prices and best quality.

HING LOUNG A. IT, No. 14, VICTORIA STREET. Hongkong, March 23, 1908.

PACIFIC MAIL STRAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROMSAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU.

JAPAN PORTS AND SHANGHAL CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship The above mentioned Steamer having For MAUA?...

arrived, the Consignees of Cargo are hereby | Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Tuesday, | (hipshing, for Swatow. notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate For SINGAPORE. delivery from alongside. " Cargo impeding discharge of the vessel will be discharged at once, at Consignees' risk and expense.

Cargo remaining on board after WED NESDAY, 25th March, 1908, at 5 p.m. will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. All cargo undelivered by Noon, MON-DAY, March 30th, 1908, will be subject

to rent. All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be examined at the above Company's # Godowns on SATURDAY, March 28th, at 10 A.M. S. SILVERSTONE.

Hongkong, March 23, 1908.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

STEAMER PERA. FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA,

PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS. NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above

named Vescel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and olaced at their risk in the Hongkong AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Gonowas at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Optional goods will be ispded here un-

lose instructions are given to the contrary before 6 Hours. Goods not cleared by the 28th March. at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by On New York-

me in any caso whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Co.'s representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be prestated within ton days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

F. J. ABBOTT,

Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 23, 1908. 'INDRA' LINE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship Indrawadi Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed Rate of Native Interest... ... 3.4% Smithers, Rav. Pedro Prat; Mr L. Lelhat their Goods are being landed and placed Chinese Sub. Coin 885 / dis. hack, Mr A. Firm, Mrs Raberty and child, The Imp. Garman Mail a.s. Print-Regent Mr M. Beloecapit Mr M. Beloecapit at their risk in the Hongkong & Kowloon Hongkong Sub. Coln 580 / dis. Mrs Wielizenus and child, Mr Estamlao Wharf and Godown Co.'s hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns at Kowloon. where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are

Goods not cleared by the 30th inst., at 4 P.M. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by un Temperature in any case whatever.

All damaged packages must be left in the Direction of 1 Godowns, and a certificate of the damage Wind obtained from the Godown Company within Force ten days after the vessel's arrival here, Weather after which no Claims will be recognised. Rain..... Noon, To-DAY. JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Lo.

Hongkong, March 23, 1408.

R. G. Froo. Director. Hongkong Observatore, March 22, 1908.

To-day's Advertisements

THEATRE

HONGKONG. MAURICE E. BANDMANN PRESENTS HENRY DALLAS

AND THE BANDMANN OPERA CO.

LAST FOUR NIGHTS! TO-NIGHT (MONDAY), MARCH 23rd. Gund Complimentary Bonefit to the Popular Soprano, Miss Constance Lait. MISS HOOK OF HOLLAND.

TUESDAY, MARCH 24th, By Special Request 'A RUNAWAY GIRL.' WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25th. For the first time in the East. Grand production of the Brilliantly Successful Opera Bouffe · LES MERVEILLEUSE.

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(DIE LUSTIGE WITWE). PRICES: \$1, \$2, \$3. Sents can now be booked at Messra MOUTRIE & Co. Hongkong, March 21, 1908.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS-POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR SHANGHAL KOBE AND чоконама.

THE Company's Steamship ARMAND BEBIC. Captain Ginonner, will be despatched for the above ports on or about MONDAY. the 30th March. J. MILLET.

Agent.Honekong, March 23, 1908.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close:—

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOOHOW. For Huitan, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March.

For SWATOW, TSINGTAU, WEIHAL-WEI & CHEFOO. -Per Amera, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 24 h March. SWATOW & SHANGHAL-

Wingsang at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 24th Mar. For SWATOW & TIENTSIN .-Her Chipshing, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday.

the 24th March. For SAIGON. --Per Bellerophon, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March For HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG, Pera, for Shanghai.

For BANGKOK.-Per Dagmar, at 1 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March.

24th March.

Per Patroclus, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

OUTTA.— For Kumsang, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March. For MANILA.-24th March.

For HOLHOW & HAIPBONG .-Per Amigo at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th Mar.

day, the 25th March For SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KOBE Dr Barker Beeson, Mr and Mrs D. M. & MOJL.

Per Japan, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 25 h March. For SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA & VAN-COUVER. Per Lennoz, at II a.m., on Wednesday, the 25th Mach

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SHIPPING

ARRIVAIS. March 21, Nord, British steamer, I 100, F. Prynn,

Slegapore March 12, Kerosine Oil for Canton,-GEO MoBAIN. London and Singapore March 22, General. | 26 cents per pic. -P. & 0, S. N. Co.

Indrawadi, British str., 3.600, W. G. Gilchrist, New York January 23, General, _JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Frithjof, Norwegian steamer, 891, Olaf Anderson, Salgon March 17, Rice .-

March 22.

AAGAARD, THORESEN & Co. Haitan, British str., 1,183, J. S. Rosch, Foochow March 19, Swatow 20, and Amoy 21, General.—Douglas Steamship Co. Heller, German steamer, 1,553, O. Sach, Hongay March 19, Coal. - HAMBURG-

AMERICA LINIE. Tingung, British steamer, 1,045, E. M. Reynolds, Wuhu March 17, Rico .-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Kaga Maru, Japanese str., 3,907, G. S. coal. Lapraik, Seattle and Shanghai March 19,

Flour and General. - Nipron Yusen Amigo, German str., 822, Frandson, seas.

-JEBELN & Co. Matilda Korner, German str., 1,846, M Dibber, Newport Jan. 30, Coal-Black-

Yedo Maru, Japanese str., 3,227, T. Homada, Rangoon Mar. 3, Rice. -- WALLEM & Co.

Patroches, British str., 3,447, W. Bevan, Shanghai Mar. 19, Goneral.—BUTTERFIELD & Swire. Lypistrata, American yacht, 2,000, James

Gordon Bennett, from Europe, via Colombo and Manila. March 23. Korea, American str., 5, 651, S. Sandherg, San Francisco Feb. 25, and Shanghai Mar. 20, Msils and General .-- P. M. S. S. Co.

Timahi, Dutch str., 2,409, J. Boseman, Shanghai Mar. 19, General. - JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN. Germania, German steamer, 1,713, H. Lorenzen, Penang March 12, General,-

Jersen & Co. Shoshu Maru, Japanese steamer, 999, M. Nemoto, Shanghai and Swatow March 22. General. - O. S. K. Loongsang, British steamer, 1,092, S. J. Payne, Manila March 20, General.-

JARDINE, MATHERON & Co. DEPARTURES. March 22.

Freya, for Bangkok. Yetarofu Maru, for Shanghai. Y. boshi Maru, for Singapore and Bombay. Kiukiang, for Ningpo. Ambria, for Singapore and Hamburg. Joshin Maru, for Swatow. Centan, for Shanghai. Lowther Castle, for Takao. Prometheus, for Shanghai. March 23.

Swanley, for Durban. Per Singan, at 1 p m., on Tuesday, the Tingsong, for Canton. OLEARED. Americ for Swatow. Helles, for Canton.

Donny, for Chefoo. H iten, for Swarow. Bellerophon, for Singspore and Liverpool. Patroculs, for Singapore and London. Indrauadi, for Shanghai. Drufar, for Swatow. FASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Korea, from San Francisco, &c., Per Tean, at 3 pm., on Tuesday, the Mrs H. O. Beat y, Mr and Mrs W. J Dickie, 3 children and maid, Mr C. C. Donoran, Mr L T. Gibbons, Mr J. S. Harrison, Mr S. T. Kong, Mr W. D. Long, Miss Warren Mills, Miss Miller, Mr Luther The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of China Parker, Mr N. F. Payne, Mr H. Soville, For MOJI, KORE, YOKOHAMA, SAN Miss Bees Woodward, Mrs C. F. Michaels, FRANCIS' O & PORTLAND. (OR.) Miss L. G. McVean, Mr C. C. Beach, Mr I The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Ludwig Mr & Mrs Haslowood Mr & Mrs Shortric For Nicomedia, of Il a.m. on Wednes- T. E. Paylor, Miss M. Joseph, Mrs. J. C. Garritt, Mrs J. B. Fearn, Mr S. W. Wolff, Erwin, Mrs L.T. Garnsey, Mr J.S. Goodell, Mr W. D. Hazieton, Miss Lora Kirk, Mr J. B. Manning, Mr and Mrs F. M. Miller, Messis C. E. Nathorst, William Parker, F. G. Rapide, C. E. Wagoner, Miss Irma Woodward, Mr and Mrs Gao. E. Wolf, Mrs B. F. Magaire, Messrs O. Kilmse, H. W. Birdseye, N. C. Home and servant, H. W. Johnson, Messrs Frank Davey, L. T. Gibbens, F. A. Hollabaugh, Mr F. P. HOODER, M. P. Lawrence, Dr. W. A. McVean, Mr D. E. Newell, Miss Elizabeth Parker, Mrs H. B. Rogers, Mrs E. F. Woodward, Mr C. F. Michaels, Miss J. T. Goodrich, Messrs L. W. Blumonthal, W. E. Hull and M. Sykes. Per Loongsang, from Manila, Mrs Hogg,

2 children and amah, and Mr Kilborne. Per Lysistraia, from Europe, Due & Duchesse de Camastra, Baroness de Reuter and sou, and Due d'Eboli.

Per Zafiro, for Manila, Mr Wm. A Sundseimer, Mr J. van Houte. Col. A. Lybrand, Mr H. E. Partridge, Capt. A. Akins Higgins. Mr and Mrs H. D. Corey, Miss M. L. Clark, Mrs E. K. Sibley, Miss E. Macpherson, Mr T. E. Sutton, Mr and Mrs F. Upjohn, Mr and Mrs Ault, Mr J. Thel Mogul Line steamer Chazee left Johnston, Mr L. Dionicio Miss V. Castillo, Capt. D. E. Orisio, Messrs R. M. Caral, F. D. West, F. Garcia, Mr., Mrs and Master Parri, Messrs Gilbert Potter, J. B. Lord, F. Hagan, and W. B. Pettingell. Per Ceylan for Shanghai, Rev. P. Robert, and Mr R. O. Dodd ; for Kobe.

Mr and Mrs Thouroude, Mr and Mrs C. W. Sutton, Mr and Mrs Laidley, Mr and Mrs Wells, Miss Wells, Mr Mabaraz Kumar Coosh Behar, Capt. H. D. White, Mesers F. Flantini, Sano and J. Jupta. Per Yawata Maru, for Manila and Aus-Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) ...\$55.10 | tralis, Mesara E. A. Peacock, A. B. Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) ... \$10.50 | Lromer, A. Mack, Miss M. M. Mack. Miss having arrived from the above ports, Copper Cents 117p & and child, Mr Saville Kent, Mr G. G.

> Beban, Mr. F. Nable, Mrs A. Enticknen Per Kamakura Maru, for Japan, Mr M. E. Rooburn, Mr and Mrs W. J. Roberts, Miss M. Cottingham, Messrs T. Nakamura: S. Nakagawa, A. H. Barber, Capt. Phra Vicham, Mr Khoon Nitate, Mr E. C. Morrison, Miss K, Shiraishi, Mr S. Tatemaku, Mr. H. O. Mustaed, Miss N. Sudzuki, Miss T. Okada, Mr S. R. Lord. Mr and Mrs Millward, Mr K. Deguchi, Mr O. M. Washington, Mr and Mrs Newbold. Mr Evelyn Lake, Mrs and Miss Haynes.

VESSELS AT THE DOOKS. Al Rowloon - Neil McCleod, Sorsogon. Loval Machew, Pocahontas, H.S.M. Fame Waterwitch. Comopoliton. - Knongsai. Abirdeen .--

CHARTERS. Mr George Grimble's daily report has the following:-

S. S. "Progress," Pulo Laut/Kohsic- Mr F. Abboth. haug, 3500 tons at \$3. s.s. "Kweiyang, Newchwang/Canton, 20,000 pics at 30 dr A. Aftalion cents. s.s. "Canton," Wakamatsu/Canton, Miss C. Anderson 1800 tons at \$2.25 s.s. "Kowloon," Waka- Mrs W. O. Ashley matau/Canton, 2500 tons at \$2.25 Pera, British str., 4,916, W. W. Cooke, "Sexta," Saigon/Java, 1 port, 2000 tons

> AT THE WHARVES. The Indrawadi berthed at No. 3 wharf Mr. v. Mrs S. Bisney Mr F. Laurance

The Prinz Regent Luitpold, due Wednesday morning, will berth at No. 3 wharf on arrival.

was delivered in London on the 21st inst. The German steamer Matilda Korner Mr L. Burle came in yesterday from Newport with

GENERAL.

The Loongsang, from Manila, had fine and clear weather throughout, with high

It is reported from Sappore that the Mr and Mrs H. D. Neighbour steamer Eiyu Maru went aground of Eracho, Matsumae district. The passengers and cargo are safe.

The American steamer Korea arrived this morning from San Francisco, with a Mr T. Darton' general carge, a large number of European Mr F. P. Davev passengers, and 257 Chinese.

The Haitan (Capt. J. S. Roach), arriving from coast ports yesterday, reports strong Mr C. C. Donovan N. E. monsoon and heavy sea to Swatov Mr R. S. Dougal and thence to Hongkong light, E. winds Mr. W. Einstmann

and heavy swell. The Osaka Shosen Kaisha's steamer Mr H Fortier Fusan Maru went ashore on March 10 in Mr C. B. Franklin the neighbourhood of the Pescadores Mrs P. O. Freer Formosa; the crew, passengers and cargo Mr B. L. Frost are reported to be safe.

STRAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL [SUPPLIED BY REUTER]. Feb. 14, Jason, Slawentzitz. February 18, Benvenue, Hudson, Suevia, Pera, St Nicholas, Korner, Helene Rick-Feb. 21, Albenga. February 25. Breconshire. Wye.

February 28, Indien. Nore, Pingsuey, Sunda, Erroll, Indrapura, Langbank Tydens.March 3. Benalder. March 6. Achilles. Hitachi Maru. March 10, Denbigshire, Den of Airlie, Palawan, Silesia (Ger).

March 13, Alcinous, Calchas, Oceanien, March 17, Nippon, Yorck, Japan, Sene-Mis Ingraham gumbia, G encarn, hrknudsen, Hendley. Capt. R. Innes March 20, Kleist, Australien, Glaucus Oanfa, Bingo Maru, Kanagawa Maru, Poona. Korun.

ARRIVALS AT HOME March 20. O. Ferd. Lacisz, Glenavon.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS. Mails. The Imp, German Mail a.s. Prinz Walde Mr H. E. ColleyshawMr & Mrs McCaffre mar left Sydney on Wednesday, the Col. Darling 11th March, at 4 p m., and may expected here on or about the lat

The O. P. R. Co, a a.a. Empress of Japan left Vancouver, B.C. for Hongkoug. via usual Ports o Call, on Wednesday, Mr Fuchs the 18th March, p.m. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Monteagle arrived Mrs Galfraitn

at Yokohama at 7 p.m. on Friday, the Mr F. J. Gelsthorpe Lt. Col. Reid on Saturday for Kube, where she is due to arrive at noon on Sunday, the Mr L. S. Greenhill 22nd March.

left Yokohama for Vancouver, B.C., Mr J. Hall on Thursday, the 19th March, p.m.: left Kobe via Nagasaki and Shanghai Mr F. A. Hazeland on Thursday midnight, the 19th Mr P. Hell March, and may be expected here on Mr E. E. Hill

Expected. The s.s. Lightning from Calcutta, left Mr R. U. Jeffries Singapore on the morning of 18th Col. Kent March, and may be expected here on Mc King or about March 24th. ne ateamship Breconshire from London, Miss Lord left Singapore on Thursday afternoop, Major W. B. Lunder Mr A. P. Wilder the 19th March, and is due here on or Major and Mrs D. F. Staff Surgeon & M

about Thursday morning, the 26h H. Logan March. " The Indo-Uhina S. N. Co. as.s. Namsang, left Calcutta for this port via The Straits on 16th March, and may be eipected here on or about the Lat April. The Great Northern S. S. Co.'s s. Minnesota from Seattle, arrived at Mr Abina Yokohama on Monday, March 16th, Mr B. Ayris

at 10 a.m., left for Hongkong Mr Bolden via usual ports of call on Friday, 20th Mr H. B. Buttierre Mrs Lasserty . March, and may be expected here on Mr Champney or about 2nd April. The T. K. K. s.s. America Maru will sail Mr Clifford from Yokohama on the 22nd March Mr and Mrs W. B. Miss Paris for Hongkong, via Japan Ports and Otaw Manila, and will be due to arrive at Miss Orystal

this port on April 3rd. Liverpool on the 16th February. The Boston S. S. Co.'s s.s. Kumeric at Mr C. Gierlet rived at Victoria, B.C., on the 17th Mr. Ginkel The E. & A. steamer Empire from Sydney, Mr Grover

March for Timor, Manila and this Mr R. Herzog Mr Stamford Latest Advices. The s.s. Arratoon Apcar from Yokohama Miss Hunter

The s.s. Rubi left Manila on Saturday, the 21st March, at 9.p.m., and is due how on or about Tuesday, the 24th March,

Wednesday, the 25th March, a.m. Mr L. P. Cheng The M. M. Co.'s steamer Armand Behic. Mr H. A. S. Colen-Mr Marcavits February, left Singappre on Mon. Mr Fr. Esrom This proket brings replies to letters Mr L. Greenwald Mr and Mrs Shepherd despatched from Hongkong on the Mr J. L. Harrison Mr D. E. L. Souga The H. A. I. e.s. Hohenstaufen leit Shang. Heise

VISITORS AT HOTELS. Mr and Mrs P. N. H

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Lt. Col. & Mrs Ris 20th March, and left again at 9 a.m. Mr H. H. J. Gom-Major R. J. Ross Mr R. F. G. Sarger Mrs Sawer Miss Hall Mr G. W. Sayer Capt. Thursen Mr Selden & childr Mis Hardy Mr P. J. Second Mr A Sinclair

Mr A. Findlay Smi orabout Friday, the 27th March, a.w. Mr W. T. Hockaday Mr and Mrs Somet Capt and Mrs K. D. Playne Hutchison Mr Stopani Capt. A. H. Synnor Mr Wallace Col. & Mrs W. Lambert Mr S. P. Warbrook Mr and Mrs Watki

> JABLION HOTEL. Mr Kemp Mr Krebs Mr A. N. Kremer Mr R. A. Lowry Capt. & Mrs Metle Mr W. P. Morgan Miss A. Peacock Mr Wm Pringle Miss Probyn Mr. O. Dale Mr Rigg Mr H. E. Riggo Mr Fowler Miss Kı main

Mr & Mrs C. Roze Mr Rutherford Miss Grattan Mr Shortland &c., left Port Darwin on the 17th MrTheodor HargspielMr Smith Mrand Mrs Hewett Mr Stephens Miss Hoyden Mr & Mrs Stephens Miss Stwart 'Mrs Wade' and Kobe, left Moji on the afternoon | Mr and Mrs Jenkins Mr Wellard of 21st March, and may be expected Miss Johnstone Mr J. S. White here on or about 26th March, at day- Miss Karkeck

Miss Barrett Luipold with the Genman Mail of Mr F. J. Berry, wifeMr W. H. Kelly the 25th February, left Singapore on and child Friday, the 20th March, at 7 p.m., Mrs W. R. Bilyew Miss K. N. Kirkwo and may be expected here on or about Miss Bilyew Mr W. L. Long with the French Mail of the 28th brander Mrs T. Meyer February, and the supplementary Mr Z. G. Collins Mr and M a A. F. mail from London of the 29th Mr Duchennan Silva-Netto & ch Mr Liocel V. Nico day, the 23rd Murch, at 6 a.m., Mr and Mrs HarryMr.W. M. Parker and may be expected to arrive here on the South Mrs Murdoch Mr and Mrs S. A. or about Monday morning, the Soth Mr and Mrs Murdoch Mr and Mrs S. A. March, and will leave for Shanghai Finlayson Roberts and Japan on the same afternoon. Mr. E. Gintzburger Mrs W. Russell

Monejour Horman Mr and Mrs E. W.

hai on 21st March, p.m., and may be Mr. H. S. Holmes Master F. W. Staple-

expected here on 24th Merch, p.m. Mr R. S. Horsley ten

Vessels Advertised as Loading

DESTINATION. DATE OF LEAVING. Amoy, S'pore, R'goon Germania (s)...... Wing Fat Hong...... Mar. 24, at 5 p.m. Coast Ports & Shanghai Shoshu Maru (8) Osaka Shosen Kolsha., Mar. 24, at 10 a.m. Cebu & Iloilo Sungkiang (s) Butterfield & Swire.... Mar. 27, 184 p.m. Europe, &c...... Prinz Ludwig (8) Melchers & Co...... Mar. 27, at o p m. Japan & Portland, Or. Nicomedia (s)....... Portland & A. S. Co. Mar. 25, at Neon. Japan & Portland, Or. Alesia (s)........... Portland & A. S. Co. April 9, at Noon. Kobe and Yokohama Hitachi Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaish Anvil & Daylight. Kobe and Yokohams Prinz Waldsmar (8) ... Melchers & Co..... About April 3. L'don, A'erp & H'burg Monmouthshire (8) .. Shewan, Tomes & Co. About Mar. 31. London & Antworp. Glenlochy (8)...... McGregor Bros. & Gow About Mar. 25 London, &c. Delhi (s) P. & O. S, N. Co..... April 4, at Noon. Manila Tuensang (s):..... Jardine, M'son & Cont. d Mar. 20 at 4 p.m. Manila Loongsang (s) Jardine, M'son & Co. ... Mar. 27, at 4 p.m.
Manila Zafiro.(s)...... hewan, Tomes & Co. Apr. 4, at Nogh Hutterfield & Swire Mar. 31, at p.m. Nippon Yusen Kaleha April 17, at Noon. Manila Taming (s)..... Manila, A'lian Ports... Nikko Maru (b) Manila, A'lian Ports,.. Manila (8) Melchers & Co...... Mar. 26. p m. Manila, A'llan Ports. Changsha (8) Butterfield & Swire. April 21, at 4 p.m. Marseilles, v. Saigon. Polynosien (s) Messageries Maritimes Mar. 31, at 1 p.m. Mar., L'don&A'erp&c Awa Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha April 1, Dayfight. NewYork v. Suoz Canal Saint Patrick (s) Shewan, Tomes & Co Mar. 21, at Noon. San Francisco v. Japar Korea (8) Paoific Mall S.S. Co., April 3, at Noon, San Francisco v. Japar America Maru (e)..... Poyo Kisen Kaisha... April 11. at Noon. San F'cisco via Japan Siberia (s) Pacific Mail S.S. Co., April 18, at Noon, San Francisco v. Japan China (8) Pacific Mail S.S. Co. |April 25, at Nocn. San Francisco v. Japan Mancuria (8) Pacific Mail S. S. Co May 2, at Noon. Seattle, v. S'hal. Japan Minnesota (s)...... Nippon Yusen Kaisha April 17, at Noon. S'tow. Amoy & Tamsui Daijin Maru (8) Osaka Shosen Kaisha. Mar. 29, at 9a.m. S'hai, N'ki, Kobe, Y'me Prinz Regent Luitpold Melchers & Co About Mar. 25. S'hai, Moji, Kobe Y'me Japan(s)...... D. Sassoon & Co, Ld. Mar. 25, at Noon Shanghal...... Szechuen (6) Butterfield & Swire... Mar. 26, at 4 p.m. 2. & O. S. N. Co. . | About April S. Devenha (8) Shal, Moji, Kobe, Y'ms Wakamiya Maru (s)... Nippon Yusen Kaisha April 2. S'hai, Kobe & Y'hams Armand Behic (s) Messageries Maritimes About Mar. 30. S'pore, Penang & C'tts Kumsang (s) Jardine, M'son & Co Le Mar. 24, at Noon. S'nore, P'ang, Calcutta. Onsang (s)...... fardine, M'son& Co, Ld Mar, 24, at 3 b.m. Sourabayahantung (a) Butterfield & Swire. War. 23 at 4 p.m. S'pore, Cl'bo & B'bay, Takasaki Maru (s) .. Nippon Yusen Kalsha April 1. Weihaiwei & Tientsin Kueichow (8) Butterfield & Swire... Mar. 25, at 4 p.m. Jardine, M'son &Co, Ld Mar. 23, at Noon. Tientsin Thipshing (s)..... Jardine, M'son & Co. Ld March 23 at 4 p.m. Tsingtan & Chefoo ... Amara (8) Dodwell & Co. Limited May 14. Victoria, B.O., Tacoma Kumerle (a) Dodwell & Co., Ld.... May 30, Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Shawmut (9) Victoria. B.C., Seattle Kaga Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha Mar. 31, at 4 p.m. Vancouver, (BC.), &c. Lennox (s) Canadian Pfic R. Co. Mar. 25, at Noon.

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China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld	30,000	\$ 25	8 25	\$12, sellers
Donglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	\$ 50	all	\$40, sellers - \$29, buyers
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Union Waterboat Co., Limited Hongkong Dairy Farm Co	50,000 25,000	3 73	\$ 6	9174, buyers
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China Rosman Company, Ltd.	80,000	\$ 12	8 12	3113, buyers
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200 12,000	\$ 10	1 2 3	\$17
South China Morning Post	8,000 6,000	1	\$ 20	\$23, barors
Chips Light and Power Company	50,000 50,000	8	8 10	\$5, sellers
Steam Laundry Company, Limited Weissmann Limited	20,000 175		\$ 100	18165

Chines Imperial 1888 E.Tis. 767.200 Tis. 2507 % p. annum P. VERNON and SMYTH, Share Brokers.

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MORE JAPANESE BORROWING A Loan from France.

It was rumoured here to-day says a Kobe exchange of March 9, that the Government had concluded negotiations for a French loan of Yen 200,000,000 or Yen 300,000,000 on the security of the railways. On making enquiries we were unable to obtain any confirmation of the report, but it appears to be the fact that in foreign circles which should be well informed it has for some little time been understood that negotiations of the kind were in progress. About a month ago a private telegram from Europe asserted that a French Loan of Yen 100,000,000 was being arranged.

To-day's Advertisements



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

In the matter of the Estate of MATILLO FOURIER, decoased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting to the 18th day of April, 1908, for sending in Claims against the above Estate. All Creditors are hereby required to send

their Claims to the Undersigned before the said date. Dated this 20th day of March, 1908. ARATHOON SETH,

NOTICE.

Have This Day established myself in practice as an ARCHITECT and SUR VEYOR at No. 34, Queen's Road Central Hongkong, and at SHAMEEN, CANTON. A. ABDOOLRAHIM,

Official Administrator.

34. QUREN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, March 20, 1908. NOTICE.

TURING MR G. H. MEDHURST'S absence from the Colony Mr EDGAR GEORGE BARRETT is appointed MANAGER of DODWELL & Co., LTD By Order of the Directors of DODWELL & Co., Lan. Hongkong, March 23, 1908.

HING LOONG A IT. TAMILY and SHIP'S COMPRADORE GENERAL STOREKEEPER, BUT THER BAKER and COAL DEALER Orders will be punctually attended to at moderate prices and best quality.

HING LOUNG A. IT, No. 14, VICTORIA STREET. Hongkong, March 23, 1908.

PACIFIC MAIL STRAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROMSAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU.

JAPAN PORTS AND SHANGHAL CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship The above mentioned Steamer having For MAUA?...

arrived, the Consignees of Cargo are hereby | Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Tuesday, | (hipshing, for Swatow. notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate For SINGAPORE. delivery from alongside. " Cargo impeding discharge of the vessel will be discharged at once, at Consignees' risk and expense.

Cargo remaining on board after WED NESDAY, 25th March, 1908, at 5 p.m. will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. All cargo undelivered by Noon, MON-DAY, March 30th, 1908, will be subject

to rent. All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be examined at the above Company's # Godowns on SATURDAY, March 28th, at 10 A.M. S. SILVERSTONE.

Hongkong, March 23, 1908.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

STEAMER PERA. FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA,

PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS. NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above

named Vescel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and olaced at their risk in the Hongkong AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Gonowas at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Optional goods will be ispded here un-

lose instructions are given to the contrary before 6 Hours. Goods not cleared by the 28th March. at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by On New York-

me in any caso whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Co.'s representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be prestated within ton days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

F. J. ABBOTT,

Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 23, 1908. 'INDRA' LINE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship Indrawadi Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed Rate of Native Interest... ... 3.4% Smithers, Rav. Pedro Prat; Mr L. Lelhat their Goods are being landed and placed Chinese Sub. Coin 885 / dis. hack, Mr A. Firm, Mrs Raberty and child, The Imp. Garman Mail a.s. Print-Regent Mr M. Beloecapit Mr M. Beloecapit at their risk in the Hongkong & Kowloon Hongkong Sub. Coln 580 / dis. Mrs Wielizenus and child, Mr Estamlao Wharf and Godown Co.'s hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns at Kowloon. where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are

Goods not cleared by the 30th inst., at 4 P.M. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by un Temperature in any case whatever.

All damaged packages must be left in the Direction of 1 Godowns, and a certificate of the damage Wind obtained from the Godown Company within Force ten days after the vessel's arrival here, Weather after which no Claims will be recognised. Rain..... Noon, To-DAY. JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Lo.

Hongkong, March 23, 1408.

R. G. Froo. Director. Hongkong Observatore, March 22, 1908.

To-day's Advertisements

THEATRE

HONGKONG. MAURICE E. BANDMANN PRESENTS HENRY DALLAS

AND THE BANDMANN OPERA CO.

LAST FOUR NIGHTS! TO-NIGHT (MONDAY), MARCH 23rd. Gund Complimentary Bonefit to the Popular Soprano, Miss Constance Lait. MISS HOOK OF HOLLAND.

TUESDAY, MARCH 24th, By Special Request 'A RUNAWAY GIRL.' WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25th. For the first time in the East. Grand production of the Brilliantly Successful Opera Bouffe · LES MERVEILLEUSE.

- (THE LADY DANDIES). THURSDAY. MARCH 26th, Last and Farewell Performance Grand Complimentary Benefit to Miss Georgie C rians. THE MERRY WIDOW

(DIE LUSTIGE WITWE). PRICES: \$1, \$2, \$3. Sents can now be booked at Messra MOUTRIE & Co. Hongkong, March 21, 1908.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS-POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR SHANGHAL KOBE AND чоконама.

THE Company's Steamship ARMAND BEBIC. Captain Ginonner, will be despatched for the above ports on or about MONDAY. the 30th March. J. MILLET.

Agent.Honekong, March 23, 1908.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close:—

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOOHOW. For Huitan, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March.

For SWATOW, TSINGTAU, WEIHAL-WEI & CHEFOO. -Per Amera, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 24 h March. SWATOW & SHANGHAL-

Wingsang at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 24th Mar. For SWATOW & TIENTSIN .-Her Chipshing, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday.

the 24th March. For SAIGON. --Per Bellerophon, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March For HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG, Pera, for Shanghai.

For BANGKOK.-Per Dagmar, at 1 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March.

24th March.

Per Patroclus, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

OUTTA.— For Kumsang, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th March. For MANILA.-24th March.

For HOLHOW & HAIPBONG .-Per Amigo at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th Mar.

day, the 25th March For SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KOBE Dr Barker Beeson, Mr and Mrs D. M. & MOJL.

Per Japan, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 25 h March. For SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA & VAN-COUVER. Per Lennoz, at II a.m., on Wednesday, the 25th Mach

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SHIPPING

ARRIVAIS. March 21, Nord, British steamer, I 100, F. Prynn,

Slegapore March 12, Kerosine Oil for Canton,-GEO MoBAIN. London and Singapore March 22, General. | 26 cents per pic. -P. & 0, S. N. Co.

Indrawadi, British str., 3.600, W. G. Gilchrist, New York January 23, General, _JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Frithjof, Norwegian steamer, 891, Olaf Anderson, Salgon March 17, Rice .-

March 22.

AAGAARD, THORESEN & Co. Haitan, British str., 1,183, J. S. Rosch, Foochow March 19, Swatow 20, and Amoy 21, General.—Douglas Steamship Co. Heller, German steamer, 1,553, O. Sach, Hongay March 19, Coal. - HAMBURG-

AMERICA LINIE. Tingung, British steamer, 1,045, E. M. Reynolds, Wuhu March 17, Rico .-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Kaga Maru, Japanese str., 3,907, G. S. coal. Lapraik, Seattle and Shanghai March 19,

Flour and General. - Nipron Yusen Amigo, German str., 822, Frandson, seas.

-JEBELN & Co. Matilda Korner, German str., 1,846, M Dibber, Newport Jan. 30, Coal-Black-

Yedo Maru, Japanese str., 3,227, T. Homada, Rangoon Mar. 3, Rice. -- WALLEM & Co.

Patroches, British str., 3,447, W. Bevan, Shanghai Mar. 19, Goneral.—BUTTERFIELD & Swire. Lypistrata, American yacht, 2,000, James

Gordon Bennett, from Europe, via Colombo and Manila. March 23. Korea, American str., 5, 651, S. Sandherg, San Francisco Feb. 25, and Shanghai Mar. 20, Msils and General .-- P. M. S. S. Co.

Timahi, Dutch str., 2,409, J. Boseman, Shanghai Mar. 19, General. - JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN. Germania, German steamer, 1,713, H. Lorenzen, Penang March 12, General,-

Jersen & Co. Shoshu Maru, Japanese steamer, 999, M. Nemoto, Shanghai and Swatow March 22. General. - O. S. K. Loongsang, British steamer, 1,092, S. J. Payne, Manila March 20, General.-

JARDINE, MATHERON & Co. DEPARTURES. March 22.

Freya, for Bangkok. Yetarofu Maru, for Shanghai. Y. boshi Maru, for Singapore and Bombay. Kiukiang, for Ningpo. Ambria, for Singapore and Hamburg. Joshin Maru, for Swatow. Centan, for Shanghai. Lowther Castle, for Takao. Prometheus, for Shanghai. March 23.

Swanley, for Durban. Per Singan, at 1 p m., on Tuesday, the Tingsong, for Canton. OLEARED. Americ for Swatow. Helles, for Canton.

Donny, for Chefoo. H iten, for Swarow. Bellerophon, for Singspore and Liverpool. Patroculs, for Singapore and London. Indrauadi, for Shanghai. Drufar, for Swatow. FASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Korea, from San Francisco, &c., Per Tean, at 3 pm., on Tuesday, the Mrs H. O. Beat y, Mr and Mrs W. J Dickie, 3 children and maid, Mr C. C. Donoran, Mr L T. Gibbons, Mr J. S. Harrison, Mr S. T. Kong, Mr W. D. Long, Miss Warren Mills, Miss Miller, Mr Luther The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of China Parker, Mr N. F. Payne, Mr H. Soville, For MOJI, KORE, YOKOHAMA, SAN Miss Bees Woodward, Mrs C. F. Michaels, FRANCIS' O & PORTLAND. (OR.) Miss L. G. McVean, Mr C. C. Beach, Mr I The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Ludwig Mr & Mrs Haslowood Mr & Mrs Shortric For Nicomedia, of Il a.m. on Wednes- T. E. Paylor, Miss M. Joseph, Mrs. J. C. Garritt, Mrs J. B. Fearn, Mr S. W. Wolff, Erwin, Mrs L.T. Garnsey, Mr J.S. Goodell, Mr W. D. Hazieton, Miss Lora Kirk, Mr J. B. Manning, Mr and Mrs F. M. Miller, Messis C. E. Nathorst, William Parker, F. G. Rapide, C. E. Wagoner, Miss Irma Woodward, Mr and Mrs Gao. E. Wolf, Mrs B. F. Magaire, Messrs O. Kilmse, H. W. Birdseye, N. C. Home and servant, H. W. Johnson, Messrs Frank Davey, L. T. Gibbens, F. A. Hollabaugh, Mr F. P. HOODER, M. P. Lawrence, Dr. W. A. McVean, Mr D. E. Newell, Miss Elizabeth Parker, Mrs H. B. Rogers, Mrs E. F. Woodward, Mr C. F. Michaels, Miss J. T. Goodrich, Messrs L. W. Blumonthal, W. E. Hull and M. Sykes. Per Loongsang, from Manila, Mrs Hogg,

2 children and amah, and Mr Kilborne. Per Lysistraia, from Europe, Due & Duchesse de Camastra, Baroness de Reuter and sou, and Due d'Eboli.

Per Zafiro, for Manila, Mr Wm. A Sundseimer, Mr J. van Houte. Col. A. Lybrand, Mr H. E. Partridge, Capt. A. Akins Higgins. Mr and Mrs H. D. Corey, Miss M. L. Clark, Mrs E. K. Sibley, Miss E. Macpherson, Mr T. E. Sutton, Mr and Mrs F. Upjohn, Mr and Mrs Ault, Mr J. Thel Mogul Line steamer Chazee left Johnston, Mr L. Dionicio Miss V. Castillo, Capt. D. E. Orisio, Messrs R. M. Caral, F. D. West, F. Garcia, Mr., Mrs and Master Parri, Messrs Gilbert Potter, J. B. Lord, F. Hagan, and W. B. Pettingell. Per Ceylan for Shanghai, Rev. P. Robert, and Mr R. O. Dodd ; for Kobe.

Mr and Mrs Thouroude, Mr and Mrs C. W. Sutton, Mr and Mrs Laidley, Mr and Mrs Wells, Miss Wells, Mr Mabaraz Kumar Coosh Behar, Capt. H. D. White, Mesers F. Flantini, Sano and J. Jupta. Per Yawata Maru, for Manila and Aus-Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) ...\$55.10 | tralis, Mesara E. A. Peacock, A. B. Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) ... \$10.50 | Lromer, A. Mack, Miss M. M. Mack. Miss having arrived from the above ports, Copper Cents 117p & and child, Mr Saville Kent, Mr G. G.

> Beban, Mr. F. Nable, Mrs A. Enticknen Per Kamakura Maru, for Japan, Mr M. E. Rooburn, Mr and Mrs W. J. Roberts, Miss M. Cottingham, Messrs T. Nakamura: S. Nakagawa, A. H. Barber, Capt. Phra Vicham, Mr Khoon Nitate, Mr E. C. Morrison, Miss K, Shiraishi, Mr S. Tatemaku, Mr. H. O. Mustaed, Miss N. Sudzuki, Miss T. Okada, Mr S. R. Lord. Mr and Mrs Millward, Mr K. Deguchi, Mr O. M. Washington, Mr and Mrs Newbold. Mr Evelyn Lake, Mrs and Miss Haynes.

VESSELS AT THE DOOKS. Al Rowloon - Neil McCleod, Sorsogon. Loval Machew, Pocahontas, H.S.M. Fame Waterwitch. Comopoliton. - Knongsai. Abirdeen .--

CHARTERS. Mr George Grimble's daily report has the following:-

S. S. "Progress," Pulo Laut/Kohsic- Mr F. Abboth. haug, 3500 tons at \$3. s.s. "Kweiyang, Newchwang/Canton, 20,000 pics at 30 dr A. Aftalion cents. s.s. "Canton," Wakamatsu/Canton, Miss C. Anderson 1800 tons at \$2.25 s.s. "Kowloon," Waka- Mrs W. O. Ashley matau/Canton, 2500 tons at \$2.25 Pera, British str., 4,916, W. W. Cooke, "Sexta," Saigon/Java, 1 port, 2000 tons

> AT THE WHARVES. The Indrawadi berthed at No. 3 wharf Mr. v. Mrs S. Bisney Mr F. Laurance

The Prinz Regent Luitpold, due Wednesday morning, will berth at No. 3 wharf on arrival.

was delivered in London on the 21st inst. The German steamer Matilda Korner Mr L. Burle came in yesterday from Newport with

GENERAL.

The Loongsang, from Manila, had fine and clear weather throughout, with high

It is reported from Sappore that the Mr and Mrs H. D. Neighbour steamer Eiyu Maru went aground of Eracho, Matsumae district. The passengers and cargo are safe.

The American steamer Korea arrived this morning from San Francisco, with a Mr T. Darton' general carge, a large number of European Mr F. P. Davev passengers, and 257 Chinese.

The Haitan (Capt. J. S. Roach), arriving from coast ports yesterday, reports strong Mr C. C. Donovan N. E. monsoon and heavy sea to Swatov Mr R. S. Dougal and thence to Hongkong light, E. winds Mr. W. Einstmann

and heavy swell. The Osaka Shosen Kaisha's steamer Mr H Fortier Fusan Maru went ashore on March 10 in Mr C. B. Franklin the neighbourhood of the Pescadores Mrs P. O. Freer Formosa; the crew, passengers and cargo Mr B. L. Frost are reported to be safe.

STRAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL [SUPPLIED BY REUTER]. Feb. 14, Jason, Slawentzitz. February 18, Benvenue, Hudson, Suevia, Pera, St Nicholas, Korner, Helene Rick-Feb. 21, Albenga. February 25. Breconshire. Wye.

February 28, Indien. Nore, Pingsuey, Sunda, Erroll, Indrapura, Langbank Tydens.March 3. Benalder. March 6. Achilles. Hitachi Maru. March 10, Denbigshire, Den of Airlie, Palawan, Silesia (Ger).

March 13, Alcinous, Calchas, Oceanien, March 17, Nippon, Yorck, Japan, Sene-Mis Ingraham gumbia, G encarn, hrknudsen, Hendley. Capt. R. Innes March 20, Kleist, Australien, Glaucus Oanfa, Bingo Maru, Kanagawa Maru, Poona. Korun.

ARRIVALS AT HOME March 20. O. Ferd. Lacisz, Glenavon.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS. Mails. The Imp, German Mail a.s. Prinz Walde Mr H. E. ColleyshawMr & Mrs McCaffre mar left Sydney on Wednesday, the Col. Darling 11th March, at 4 p m., and may expected here on or about the lat

The O. P. R. Co, a a.a. Empress of Japan left Vancouver, B.C. for Hongkoug. via usual Ports o Call, on Wednesday, Mr Fuchs the 18th March, p.m. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Monteagle arrived Mrs Galfraitn

at Yokohama at 7 p.m. on Friday, the Mr F. J. Gelsthorpe Lt. Col. Reid on Saturday for Kube, where she is due to arrive at noon on Sunday, the Mr L. S. Greenhill 22nd March.

left Yokohama for Vancouver, B.C., Mr J. Hall on Thursday, the 19th March, p.m.: left Kobe via Nagasaki and Shanghai Mr F. A. Hazeland on Thursday midnight, the 19th Mr P. Hell March, and may be expected here on Mr E. E. Hill

Expected. The s.s. Lightning from Calcutta, left Mr R. U. Jeffries Singapore on the morning of 18th Col. Kent March, and may be expected here on Mc King or about March 24th. ne ateamship Breconshire from London, Miss Lord left Singapore on Thursday afternoop, Major W. B. Lunder Mr A. P. Wilder the 19th March, and is due here on or Major and Mrs D. F. Staff Surgeon & M

about Thursday morning, the 26h H. Logan March. " The Indo-Uhina S. N. Co. as.s. Namsang, left Calcutta for this port via The Straits on 16th March, and may be eipected here on or about the Lat April. The Great Northern S. S. Co.'s s. Minnesota from Seattle, arrived at Mr Abina Yokohama on Monday, March 16th, Mr B. Ayris

at 10 a.m., left for Hongkong Mr Bolden via usual ports of call on Friday, 20th Mr H. B. Buttierre Mrs Lasserty . March, and may be expected here on Mr Champney or about 2nd April. The T. K. K. s.s. America Maru will sail Mr Clifford from Yokohama on the 22nd March Mr and Mrs W. B. Miss Paris for Hongkong, via Japan Ports and Otaw Manila, and will be due to arrive at Miss Orystal

this port on April 3rd. Liverpool on the 16th February. The Boston S. S. Co.'s s.s. Kumeric at Mr C. Gierlet rived at Victoria, B.C., on the 17th Mr. Ginkel The E. & A. steamer Empire from Sydney, Mr Grover

March for Timor, Manila and this Mr R. Herzog Mr Stamford Latest Advices. The s.s. Arratoon Apcar from Yokohama Miss Hunter

The s.s. Rubi left Manila on Saturday, the 21st March, at 9.p.m., and is due how on or about Tuesday, the 24th March,

Wednesday, the 25th March, a.m. Mr L. P. Cheng The M. M. Co.'s steamer Armand Behic. Mr H. A. S. Colen-Mr Marcavits February, left Singappre on Mon. Mr Fr. Esrom This proket brings replies to letters Mr L. Greenwald Mr and Mrs Shepherd despatched from Hongkong on the Mr J. L. Harrison Mr D. E. L. Souga The H. A. I. e.s. Hohenstaufen leit Shang. Heise

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Lt. Col. & Mrs Ris 20th March, and left again at 9 a.m. Mr H. H. J. Gom-Major R. J. Ross Mr R. F. G. Sarger Mrs Sawer Miss Hall Mr G. W. Sayer Capt. Thursen Mr Selden & childr Mis Hardy Mr P. J. Second Mr A Sinclair

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Mr & Mrs C. Roze Mr Rutherford Miss Grattan Mr Shortland &c., left Port Darwin on the 17th MrTheodor HargspielMr Smith Mrand Mrs Hewett Mr Stephens Miss Hoyden Mr & Mrs Stephens Miss Stwart 'Mrs Wade' and Kobe, left Moji on the afternoon | Mr and Mrs Jenkins Mr Wellard of 21st March, and may be expected Miss Johnstone Mr J. S. White here on or about 26th March, at day- Miss Karkeck

Miss Barrett Luipold with the Genman Mail of Mr F. J. Berry, wifeMr W. H. Kelly the 25th February, left Singapore on and child Friday, the 20th March, at 7 p.m., Mrs W. R. Bilyew Miss K. N. Kirkwo and may be expected here on or about Miss Bilyew Mr W. L. Long with the French Mail of the 28th brander Mrs T. Meyer February, and the supplementary Mr Z. G. Collins Mr and M a A. F. mail from London of the 29th Mr Duchennan Silva-Netto & ch Mr Liocel V. Nico day, the 23rd Murch, at 6 a.m., Mr and Mrs HarryMr.W. M. Parker and may be expected to arrive here on the South Mrs Murdoch Mr and Mrs S. A. or about Monday morning, the Soth Mr and Mrs Murdoch Mr and Mrs S. A. March, and will leave for Shanghai Finlayson Roberts and Japan on the same afternoon. Mr. E. Gintzburger Mrs W. Russell

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expected here on 24th Merch, p.m. Mr R. S. Horsley ten

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DESTINATION. DATE OF LEAVING. Amoy, S'pore, R'goon Germania (s)...... Wing Fat Hong...... Mar. 24, at 5 p.m. Coast Ports & Shanghai Shoshu Maru (8) Osaka Shosen Kolsha., Mar. 24, at 10 a.m. Cebu & Iloilo Sungkiang (s) Butterfield & Swire.... Mar. 27, 184 p.m. Europe, &c...... Prinz Ludwig (8) Melchers & Co...... Mar. 27, at o p m. Japan & Portland, Or. Nicomedia (s)....... Portland & A. S. Co. Mar. 25, at Neon. Japan & Portland, Or. Alesia (s)........... Portland & A. S. Co. April 9, at Noon. Kobe and Yokohama Hitachi Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaish Anvil & Daylight. Kobe and Yokohams Prinz Waldsmar (8) ... Melchers & Co..... About April 3. L'don, A'erp & H'burg Monmouthshire (8) .. Shewan, Tomes & Co. About Mar. 31. London & Antworp. Glenlochy (8)...... McGregor Bros. & Gow About Mar. 25 London, &c. Delhi (s) P. & O. S, N. Co..... April 4, at Noon. Manila Tuensang (s):..... Jardine, M'son & Cont. d Mar. 20 at 4 p.m. Manila Loongsang (s) Jardine, M'son & Co. ... Mar. 27, at 4 p.m.
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